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NEWTON.

-Mrs. E. S. Warner of St. Louis is visit-ing with Mrs. E. S. Hamblen of Brighton Hill. -Mr. C. B. Coffin goes to Washington to-morrow to attend the inauguration exer-cises.

—G. P.Atkins has had a telephone placed in his grocery store the past week, and his number is 13-4.

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"There will be a memorial service for little Harold Byfield in the Channing Sunday School, on Sunday.

"—Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Calley of Newton left vesterday for Washington, where they will attend the Inaugural ceremonles.

—Mrs. H. C. Hardon has been chosen one of the directors of the Pomroy Home, in place of Mrs. Geo. C. Lord, resigned.

--Councilman Hamblen returned on Monday from a business trip of several weeks to St. Louis and other western points.

—The committee on towns has reported five to four against the annexation of any part of Watertown to Newton. — Mrs. J. B. Hill and Miss Lena Hill of Eldredge street have gone to Washington and will attend the inaugural ceremonies.

Officer Baker is in a critical condition and is now suffering with trouble with his eyes. He has the sympathy of the entire -Dr. E. B. Hitchcock has been seriously ill the past week, although for the past day or two the symptons have been a little more favorable.

—The post office lobby is now a very com-fortable place even on cold days, and the system of hot water heating has proved very successful.

—John Deery, the driver of steamer 1,has been ill with a severe cold, but is able to get about, although he has not yet resumed his regular duties. —Mrs. Moore of Carlton street had her pocket picked in a trimming store in Boston, Tuesday. Her pocket had

pocket picked in a trimming store in Boston, Tuesday. Her pocket book was stolen containing \$110. —A social gathering of the Helping Hand chapter of The Parish Guild of Grace church was held on Wednesday evening. It was a very enjoyable occasion.

—Miss Laura Beck of the Channing choir sang at a concert by the Schumann club in Brighton, Wednesday evening, and had a very enthusiastic reception.

-Next Sunday evening at the Methodist church the pastor, Rev. F. Nichols, will preach on "Are we here by appointment or by Chance." Service of song at 7.30. All cordially welcome.

-Miss Katherine K. Wood, formerly librarian at Natick, has entered upon her duties as assistant at the Newton Free Library to-day. She will have charge of the reading room. — Channing Council, No. 76, at its last regular meeting voted to change its nights of meeting to the second and fourth Fridays of each month. The next regular meeting will be held Friday evening, Mar. 8th.

—A new restaurant is to be opened next week in French's block by two ladies from Rockport, who have had experience in the business. The store will be neatly fitted up and the restaurant will be conducted in a first class manner.

—Mrs. Catharine Allen died at her tate residence, Clurch street, Tuesday. The deceased was a veryold resident and was a member of the Grace Episcopal church. The funeral took place yesterday after-noon from the late residence and the re-mains were interred in the Newton ceme-tery.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brooks will give a reception this evening, at their residence, corner of Waverley avenue and Sargent street. It will be one of the notable society events of the winter, as six hundred invita-tions have been issued and prominent peo-ple from all parts of Newton will be pres-ent.

—Services in Grace church during the coming Lemen season will be held on week days as follows: Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 4:30 p. m., on Wednesdays and Fridays at 7:30 p. m. On Ask Wednesday, Mar. 6th, the hours will be 3:10 a. m., 10.4s a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Strangers are cordially welcomed to all these services.

—Mr. H. F. Chamberlain has sold the fish market for many years successfully carried on by Mr. S. F. Atwood, to Mr. George H. Dupee, who is well known here as an enterprising business man, who will continue the business. It is understood that he will also conduct a provision busi-ness in connection with it.

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—Recognition services to Rev. J. P. McCullough, pastor of the Newton Baptist
elsarch, will be held Tuesday evening,
March. 5, at 7,30. Addresses will be made
by Rev. S. J. Gordon, D. D., of Boston,
Esc. J. B. Thomas, D. D. and Prof. J. M.
English of Newton Centre, Rev. L. C.
Barnes, Dr. Walcott Calkins, Rev. Fayette
Nichols and others. The public are invided.

"Zion's Heraki says of Rev. Br. Shinn's recent course of lectures at Lasell, on "The Relation of Modern Fiction to Real Life:" "It was an endeavor to counterart the tendency of novel reading to give false views of life and duty, romantic and exaggerated impressions of the marriage relation, and so to cultivate expectations that must finally be disappointed. The final lecture treated of the positive duties which marriage implies, and which fiction often freats very lightly. The lecturer believed the wife is bound to obey, whether or not she makes the promise; and he believes it foolish to try to escape, as the husband has no right that the promise; and he believes it foolish to try to escape, as the husband has no right that the promise; and he stoom were interspersed with the order of the promised."

—Mr. Charles F. Rand has been suffer-

sperson with their anectores, so that the audicace was both instructed and amused.

—Mr. Charles F. Rand has been suffering for several weeks from ill health, which he had not allowed materially to interfere with his business. Just before midnight last Saturday, however, he suddenly awoke from sleep, suffering from a spasmodic attack of the heart which placed his life in imminent peril. His physician was summoned at once and remained with him several hours. The attack was again and again repeated during a period of 48 hours; one of which during the physician's attendance, was so severe that, for a moment the doctor thought death had actually occurred. Since Monday evening improvement has been rapid and, as there is no organic disease of the heart, it is hoped, if relapse and complication can be escaped, that before long the face and form, for so many years a welcome presence to all our citizens, may again be greeted upon our streets and in our places of business. As we go to press the doctor reports Mr Rand's condition as not quite so favorable.

Building Lots.

Young men looking for good building sites for a pleasant home will find in the advertisement of H. H. Read, Newton Centre, where they can buy good land at lower prices than in many parts of the Newtons. Newton Centre offers several special inducements. Its fine lake, high lands, and direct connection with the electric road and new Beacon street Boulevard.

The Pomroy Home.

This is the season when most of our city Protestant churches contribute for the support of the above institution. It seems fitting to call attention to certain features of the same.

It is the oldest and until our noble

hospital was established, the only city charity, entering upon its 17th year of beneficent work in tenderly caring for its twenty orphan and destitute girls.
The directors, while gratefully recognizing the continued generosity which has enabled them to feed, clothe and care for these twenty little ones, wish to emphasize the importance of this work. It is shown in their last, a sixteenth annual report, that the same spirit of economy and sensible care of the little ones, acxu, ates the present management that was seen under those remarkable women who inaugurated its affairs during the first ten years of its life, Rebecca Pomroy, Mary Shannon and Mrs. Daniel L. Furber, all of whom have passed on to their reward, leaving the sweet influence of their lives and labors with us:—a grand trio illustrating in their saintly lives the comparative insignificance of theological differences in one's mental views, whether Baptist, free religionist, or orthordox Congregationalist.

The subscriptions to this charity the last year were smaller than perhaps in any preceding year since its organization. But for the generous gifts and bequests of the past and previous years, a deficet would have been seen in our treasurer's report. seen under those remarkable women who

We feel sure that every lady of our

report.

We feel sure that every lady of our city would cheerfully contribute something to the Home's support if she should visit and see the little ones at their work. It is a real bee hive of industry, each one has her special work, doing the same with cheerful alacrity and all with a kindly interest in each other thus making it a real home. Most mothers can here receive a valuable object lesson in family management.

It was my privilege last Saturday evening to meet some twenty of its former inmates at the Home, who are now at service in families of Newton and other places. It is the pleasant custom of the graduates to make an annual visit to their Home for they know no other, to commemorate the birthday of our superintendent. It was both inspiring and affecting to see these young women, healthful, intelligent, in neat attire and so happy thus to gather at the old home of their childhood.

Few who knew these when they came to the home years ago and contrast their could see them without emotion and a renewed spirit of determination to continue in all of this good work. We trust that every church organization of our city will demonstrate that their religion is something more than theoretical by a kindly contribution however small to the Rebecca Pomroy Newton Home for orphan girls.

NATHL. T. ALLEN.

The Prohibitory Amendment. A meeting in the interests of the proposed constitutional prohibitory amend-ment was held in Eliot Hall, Wednesday

RANDALL'S THUMB.

THE SIXTH SERIES OF PERFORMANCES BY THE PLAYERS.

The Players presented Randall's Thumb, for their sixth series of performances at City Hall, Wednesday and Thursday even-ings, before very large audiences. Excellent ings, before very large audiences. Excellent music was furnished by the '88 High School Orchestra, and the cast was as follows: Dr. Trotway, Joe Bangies, Mr. E. W. Spurr Joe Bangies, Mr. Camelius Walker Mr. Edward L. Collins Beckthorpe, Mr. Edward L. Collins Mr. Cornelius Walker Mr. Edward C. Burrage Mr. Harboos, Cumming, Edith Temple, Mrs. Seantlebury, Miss Alice C. Boynton Mrs. Spinn, Mrs. Flamboys, The stage setting was the most elabo-

Mr. Flamboys,
Camming,
Edith Temple,
Mr. Stamboys,
Mr. Herbert G. Fratt
Biss Alice C. Boynton
Mrs. Flamboys,
The stage setting was the most elaborate by the rising tide and the Clump Rocks, with very natural rocks,
the rising tide and the rescue of two unfortunate couples in a boat, which was heartily applauded. Mr. Melville A.
Richards was acting manager, Mr. W.
T. Farley, stage manager, Mr. Henry
C. Churchill, prompter and Messrs Pierrepont Wise, James P. Tolman and George
H. Phelps, ushers. The stage was lighted entirely by electricity, under the supervision of Mr. Miner Robinson, and
the work was very effectively done, especially the moonlight, and the brilliant
star that overlooked the rescuing party.
The stage settings were so very realistic that it proved of great advantage in
keeping up the illusion, although the excellent acting left little to be desired in
that respect. The hit of the evening was
undoubtedly made by Mr. E. L. Collins,
whose Randall was an admirable piece of
work, so eleverly done that the character
seemed real. Mrs. Farley was piquant
and charming as Mrs Flamboys, receiving effective support from Mr Flamboys,
H. S. Kempton, while Miss Harris as Miss
Spinn, Mrs Tolman as Mrs Scantlebury
and Miss Boynton as Edith Temple were
equally satisfactory. Mr Stutson as
Bangles hardly had space for his ability,
but he made the most of the humorous
portions of the part, while Mr Burrage
made a very natural Scantlebury. The
other parts were well taken, and one of
the most enjoyable parts of the presentation was the charming pictures made
by the handsome costumes of the ladies,
the play giving an opportuity for this
aid to the stage effect. The applause
was very enthusiastic and the performances were acknowledged to be a marked
improvement over former efforts. The
Players have certainly nothing to fear
from a comparison with any amateur or
ganization in other cities, and they have
aiready proved that Newton has an abundance of dramatic talent.

SEMI-ANNUAL PRIZE DRILL.

INTERESTING EXERCISES OF THE NEW-TON HIGH SCHOOL BATTALION.

The fourth semi-annual prize drill of the Newton High School Battalion took place in Eliot Hall, last Friday afternoon. There was a large attendance at the exrices was a large attendance at the ex-ercises, including the parents and friends of the pupils. The first feature of the afternoon was the battalion drill under command of Maj. F. H. Moorehouse. The boys made a most creditable show-The boys made a most creation of Map.

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MEETING OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

NEW TEXT BOOK -THE INDUSTRIAL ED-UCATIONAL QUESTION.

The school board met in the high school building, Newtonville, Weduesaay evening. Superintendent Emerson sub-mitted a report, which was accepted, in which he suggested certain changes in the text books in the grammar grades in order to facilitate the study of English in the high school and especially with a view to meet the demands of the colleges upon the classical department, recommended the adoption of Strang's exer-cises in English. This book is a collec-tion of exercises in accidence, syntax and style. These exercises are selected and graded with much skill and are carefully classified for the purpose of criti-cism and correction. The number of copies needed is 50. The cost will be \$12.50. Should the board adopt this book, \$12.00. Should the board adopt this book, the superintendent recommended that it be supplied at once that it may be available for the use of the present senior class. He also recommended the adoption of Wentworth and Hill's "Exercises in Algebra" for use in the high school. The number of copies needed is 40. The cost will be \$25.35. This book is also needed for immediate use.

This book is also needed for immediate use.

Mr. Barton, for the committee on text books, reported favorably on "Strang's Exercises in English" and Wentworth & Hill's "Exercises in Algebra," and gave notice that he should move the adoption of said text books at the next meeting of the board.

Mr. Hornbrooke for the committee on salaries, to whom was referred the bill of the superintendent of \$125 for actual expenses incurred during the vear, reported that while the committee recognized the justice of the claim that they were of the opinion that it was not well to pay special amounts for special purposes, as it was better to include such items in the salaries, and recommended deferring the matter, therefore, until the reorganization of salaries during the year. The report was accepted.

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Mr. Barnard, for the committee on accounts, offered an order which was adopted, authorizing an appropriation of \$10,945.10 for expenses of the current worth.

month.

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Mr. Barton offered an order which was adopted, granting leave of absence to Mary E. Mason, first assistant in the Rice school until March 23, with balance of salary.

Mr. Hornbrooke presented a petition from the Newton Social Science Club, urging the board to consider the subject of vacation schools, where the industrial arts could be taught, giving instruction in the use of tools, sewing, keometry and practical drawing. Allusion was made to the vacation trade school which was so successfully conducted at Thompsonville under the auspices of the club and of the interest a wakened by the pupils who took hold of the studies with great earnestness. The petition was sighed by Mrs. Lucy Sawyer, president of the club and numerous other ladies.

A similar petition from the West Newton Women's Educational Club, calling attention to the desirability of vacation schools, signed by y2 ladies, was presented to the board by Mrs. Davis.

On motion of Mr. Byrnard, both petitions were received and referred to the committee on industrial education. Mr. Barnard asid that the committee was considering the subject but had not yet matured a plan.

Resolutions were offered by the Ray. Mr. Hornbrooke on the death of the Ray. Mr. Hornbrooke on the death of the Rey. Thomas Marcy and were unanimously adopted.

Messrs Barton and Bond were appointed a committee to appear before the Legislature and oppose the proposed change in the textbook law. It is a project which seeks to amend the law so that a majority of the school committee shall have the power to change textbooks rather than by a two-thirds vote of the board as is now required. It was a move in the interest of the text-book dealers and was not for the best interests of the school board.

On motion of Mr. Dickinson, Mayor Burr appointed Messrs. Dickinson, pierce, and Barton a committee to draft resolutions on the death of the late I saae Hagar, a former member of the board.

The industrial education question was brought up by Mr. Dickinson who asked for an expression of opinion from

THE COMMON COUNCIL

A PLEASANT SITE OFFERED FOR THE

present Councilmen Moody, Luke, Fenno, Ranlett, Roffe, Hale, Hard night with President Bond in the chair; Ranlett, Roffe, Hale, Hyde, Richardson, Forknall, Rice, Hall and Hamblen.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

MR. HAGAR'S DEATH.

The following communication was re

Gentlemen of the City Council: — It is my sad duty to communicate to you official information of the death of Isaac Hagar, Esq., for nearly fifty years connected with the public service of the town and city of Newton. As representative to the General Court, member of the school board, selectman, and chairman of the board of assessors, Mr. Hagar brought to the service of his fellow-townsmen judgment, intelligence and a rare old-tashioned integrity. It seems fitting that appropriate notice should be taken by you of the sad event.

HEMAN M. BURR, Mayor.

Councilmen Moody, Hale and Fenno, with such aldermen as may be appointed, were appointed to draw up appropriate resolutions.

Business from the board of aldermen was disposed of in concurrence.

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The state inspectors sent in a lengthy communication, ordering certain changes in the ventilation of the Davis, Franklin, Hamilton, Lincoln, Mason and Prospect school houses.

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Mr. E. C. Dudley of Newton Centre sent in a communication, stating that he had seen in the papers notice of a petition for the removal of the almshouse from its present location, and he gave notice that he had a lot of land on Chestnut street, Upper Falls, adjoining the estate of Willard Marcy, of about 7 acres, high and dry, and containing some fruit trees. The letter was referred to the special committee on the removal of the almshouse.

Councilman Hamblen presented a petition for a fire alarm signal box on the corner of Centre and Bennington streets.

Councilman Hyde presented an order for the laying of a water main on Walnut

tor the laying of a water main on Walnut street, from in front of Mr. Crane's property to Lombard street, without the usual guarantee, at an expense of not to exceed \$1.000, and asked that it be referred to the water board.

Ferred to the water board.

He said that at present Newton Highlands was supplied with water direct from the main pipe from the water works and was left for part of each day without water. The proposed main mould connect two dead ends and this would give an abundant supply at all times. The matter had been before the council several times but so far nothing had been done.

tee.
Councilman Hyde said that it had been done at several times, but the land by which the main passed was valuable and would probably soon be built upon, so that the city would have a revenue from it. Referred to the water board.
Councilman Forknall presented a petition for a fire alarm striker at Nonantum, signed by J. L. Ballantyne and a large number of others. He said that such a petition had been presented before, and

signed by J. L. Ballantyne and a large number of others. He said that such a petition had been presented before, and had been recommended by ex-Mayor Kimball in '86, and again in '87. It was not desired so much for fire as for school purposes. The no-school signals on stormy days could not be heard in No-nantum, and the children had to travel some distance to school, and to wait outside until it was time for school to begin, and then return home wet through. The druggists complained loudly of the annoyance caused by the children trooping into their stores, to find out if the schools would be in session, and a letter from one of them was read. The police also could not tell the location of a fire, save by telephoning to City Hall for information, and so coutd not be present promptly at a fire if it occurred in their district. Some of the people there said it was high time Nonantum should have some of the benefits of the rest of the city, and that it should have something else than a watering trough. The petition was referred to the fire department committee.

Councilman Luke presented the peti-

committee.

Councilman Luke presented the petition of I. H Snow, to have the gas lamp replaced in front of his store. The post replaced in front of his store. The post had been paid for by private subscription on condition that the city maintain the lamp, but when the electric light was introduced the lamp was taken away. The electric light did not reach to that distance, however; referred to the lamp committee.

committee.
Councilman Fenno presented two orders from the Water Board, which were pas el, ne authorizing the board to expend \$5,000 in the purchase of stock and supplies, and the other to spend \$5,000 for water metres. The board then ad-

FUNERAL OF MR. ISAAC HAGAR.

an evidence of the respect we entertain for a man of such steadfast character and honesty. He was a sincere Christian, not one, perhaps, who indulged in religious conversation, but a true follower of Jesus Christ. We know this from the simplicity of his character. He was a real man whose religion was worked out in his daily life.

He will not be forgotten. Those who survive will remember his worth and the lesson of his life will be a reminder to us of the qualities especially needed to develop good citizenship. We shall be reminded that there are duties of citizenship that are sacred and his name shall represent all that is worthy and sacred in citizenship. Isaac Hagar's name will be revered. He was an honest man who performed his public work as he did his own personal work. But not this alone, for he raised the social, religious and business tone of the city in which he lived. It is idle to boast but we can feel a just pride in our city and how lovely it appears in our eyes in comparison with other places. It is such simple, earnest lives and Christian character that has developed this condition in our city and we may hope that it may still be developed veloped this condition in our city and we may hope that it may still be developed until Newton shall be the pride of the Commonwealth.

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His life has ended. He has passed into another world. It is but a continuance of the present life. It is the present life with the sin taken out of it. His real work has commenced for he has gone into a world where there is real work to be done, a world where they work for God and carry out his purposes with a greater purity then is possible here on earth. Shall we call him back? Ah, no! he has reached the haven of joy. Let us so live that when we pass away it may be said of us as has been said of him, he performed his work faithfully and well and God has called him home.

At the conclusion of the address the choir sung "Rock of Ages," after which the remains were viewed by those who knew him and loved him well, and the casket was then borne to the family lot in St. Mary's cemetery for interment. The Episcopal burial service was read at the grave. The pall bearers were Messrs. J. F. C. Hyde, George Hyde, Julius L. Clark, E. T. Wiswall, Rufus Moulton, Samuel Jackson, John A. Gould and Dr. Crehore.

Among those present at the services were noticed Mayor Burr, ex-Mayor Speare, Aldermen Chadwick and Kennedy, Councilmen Wiswall, Moody and Ranlett, City Treasurer Kenrick, City Clerk Kingsbury, City Auditor Otis, City Messenger Wellington, City Marshal Riehardson, Chief Henry L. Bixby, W. E. Fuller, superintendent of streets, W. S. French, agent of the board of health, Messrs. J. W. Dickinson, C. E. Parkei and Thomas Emerson of the school board, Messrs. H. B. Coffin, S. M. Jackson, G. A. Miuer, A. A. Savage, Bernard Early and Eugene Fanqing of the board of assessors. Prof. D. B. Hagar, principal of the Salem state normal school, George A. Walton, ex-Councilmen Hunt and Atherton, Rev. A. A. Lawrence, Miss S. M. Duncklee, treasurer, and Mr. Francis Murdock, auditor, of the Newton Savings Bank, and many others.

WEST NEWTON LYCEUM.

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Newton Lyceum was held in Nickerson's Hall, Monday eyening. The attendance was the largest of the season and the music was an undoubted attraction that brought many to the meeting. Several selections were given by the Alpha Banjo Club and the players were enthusiastically received, being called upon in respons to encores several times. A guitar and banjo duet was a pleasing number and the numbers rendered by the club were exceptionally fine. The lecture was de-livered by Mr. E. B. Drew who spoke upon "Chinese Etiquette." Good man-ners, said the lecturer, form a part of the education of the Chinese, and politeness in society is observed with much formality. Women, of course, do not is that of a mandarin, simply an official of the government. It is my duty to make calls of an official character and also receive calls. In my position, I am not obliged to wear any uniform or in any respect become the Chinaman aside from speaking their language and ex-changing the usual formalities of so-ciety. In China, New Year's day is observed and it is the custom to make calls, even your servants coming to wish you a happy new year. They also wish you future success, may you get rich, be promoted and blessed with children. When the caller is of the higher class, he sends in his visiting card but if the callers are Subordinate officials they send in a visiting card on which is inscribed all of their names in small written characters.

IN ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

The funeral of the late Mi. Isaac Hagar took place from St. Mary's Episcopation of place from St. Mary's Episcopaticureh, Newfon Lower Falls. Sunday aftermoon, and there was a very large at tendance at the services, including pas and present members of the city government and many citizens. The services were conducted by Rev. George W. Shim, D. D. rector of the Grace church, and appropriate selections were rendered by the choir. The city of Newton sent by the choir. The city of Newton sent a beautiful floral design, and other criteries were sent by relatives and friend services were sent by relatives and friend services. The services were conducted by Rev. George W. Shim, D. D. rector of the Grace church, and appropriate selections were rendered by the choir. The city of Newton sent a beautiful floral design, and other criteries were sent by relatives and friend services. The services were sent by relatives and friend services and friend services the city was considered to the city of the services of the city was decreased. Dr. Shinn paid a loving Stribute to Mr. Hagar's memory. He alluded to his long and useful life as a citizen 17 this community. Looking over the records of this parish, said the speaker, I find his name associated very early in life with church work and the name of his father also. Those of the family have a laway been loved and respected here. It is appropriate that citizens representing the various branches of the city were over and finally superintendical the his absorbidities of community. Cooking of the decased. Dr. Shinn paid a loving Stribute to Mr. Hagar's memory. He alluded to his long and useful life as a citizen 17 this community. Looking over the records of this parish, said the speaker, I find his name associated very early in life with church work and the name of his father also. Those of the family have always been loved and respected subordinate officials they send in a visiting card on which is inscribed all of

doors open simultaneously and your chair bearers run you in to the apartment where you find an usher who stands with your card and soon conducts you to the reception room. When the great man enters, you immediately arise and both bow together. He motions you to be seated and indicates the seat of honor. The servant brings in a tray on which aro two cups of tea. He takes one in both hands and raises it high over his head, gradually lowering it and placing the seater of the service of the service of the seater of the

one in both hands and raises it high over, his head, gradually lowering it and placing it in front of you. You must watch to see when he sits down for both must be seated at the same time. The conversation is formal. You must never ask him about his wife, but you can ask him what is his honorable name, his bonorable age, and the name of his native honorable age, and the name of his native honorable province. He will rep y in deprecatory language that he had lived uselessly for 40 years. But if the conversation drifts into a serious channel, you will find the Chinaman as intelligent and astute as any other race. At the time for departure both rise together. If your host accompanies you, it is necessary to back into your chair as it would be a breach of politeness to turn your back to him. When you are seated your host can then turn around and go back.

At the conclusion of the lecture selections were finely rendered by the banjoclub, after which Mr. E. P. Seaver, superintendent of the Boston schools, opened in the affirmative the discussion of the question "Resolved, That manual training or instruction in the use of tools should be included in the system of public education." He said that he had advocated instruction in the use of tools in one department of the public schools, at least, for several years. It is a desirable improvement in the system of public education, if we can enlarge the opportunities for boys 14 years of age and upward. We need a new kind of high school, a school that will particularly teach the mechanic arts. This want of boys has not been met under the present high school system, and such training is of great advantage to boys preparing for active life. If our boys desire to become lawyers, physicians, ministers, or to enter the learned professions or commercial life. There is a third class of boys who who intend to enter the learned professions or commercial life. There is a third class of boys who would find such a school useful would be greater than the ordinary high school. A chief rea An interesting meeting of the West

be proper to urge the authorities to establish such schools in connection with the development of the system of public lie education.

Hon. J. W. Dickinson, secretary of the State board of education, opened the argument in the negative. He said that Mr. Seaver did not advocate instruction in the use of tools in the elementary training, but advocated it for boys of the high school age. With that, said the speaker, I can fully agree. Our public common school work is likely to be confused because we do not keep in mind the end for which the public schools are maintained. The ends are first, to teach a little clear, distinct and real knowledge; second, to inculcate a right method of pursuing studies after leaving school; third, to bring about a right method of pursuing studies after leaving school; third, to bring about a right method of pursuing studies after leaving school; third, to bring about a right metal development that has trained the observation. In order for a pupil to know a thing, that thing must be brought into his presence. He can attain ideas from natural objects, discovering their character by his own observation. Instead of studying rules of language, the language itself should be put into the hands of the pupils to analyze, study and eventually master. The minds are trained to activity in this way—taking hold of things, developing the powers of observation. The speaker then told of a boy who was educated in this manner, who went through Harvard and stood very high in history, chemistry and the languages. After graduating he went to work in a mill, commencing in a menial occupation but rising rapidly until he became head overseer and finally superintendent. He learned more in three days than others in the mili in three weeks. He had been trained to observe, and that is the most practical thing in public education, to train the mild so that when a thing is put before a pupil his mental powers will at once grasp its character. What we want in our schools is that general intelligence that will enable

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A GRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THIS DELECTION, We all remember the proposition made last fall to use the troublesome surplust of the surgestion has pleatured to him of the surgestion has pleatured to him of Collahoma Bill. Perhaps the author of the surgestion has pleatured to him of Collahoma Bill. See a stalwart savage in feathers and war-paint carrying configuration for folial carrying configuration of the correction of the rectainly has created strife in Congress during the last dozen years, and the end is not yet.

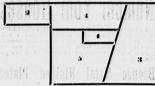
But what is Oklahoma? Open the Atlant to the map of the United States and once the position of Indian Territory, just south of the recognition of Indian Territory just south of the recognition of Indian Territory, indian territory in the Indian State of Indian Territory beautiful Land's and the Indian State of Indian Territory beautiful proposition of Indian Territory beautiful prop ter timbered and watered than the sur-rounding region, it long ago received from the Indians the name of Beautiful Land—Oklahoma. Naturally enough the people of Kansas, Missouri, and Ar-kansas have long looked upon these fer-tile and untenanted acres with covetous eyes. It is said that five thousand peo-ple are living in tents and wagons just ple are living in tents and wagons just over the border waiting permssion to people the wilderness. Our army has been obliged to use the strong arm to to keep out the settler from what seemed his rightful home. It is safe to say at a guess that in every Congress since 1876, or earlier, at least one bill has been pro-posed to open these lands to white settle ment.

posed to open these lands to white settle ment.

As early as 1877 it was proposed to make the whole region into a regular organized territory. The bill offered, provided also for the rapid conversion of all the Indians from allen wards into legal citizens. As late as 1880 the proposition is made, simply to appoint a Commission who shall treat with the Indians and arrange that they shall all, civilized and uncivilized, make their homes in the eastern two-thirds of the territory, leaving the western third only for Congress to make into an organized Territory, And on the 6th of the present month Senator Bair suggested that it might be well to reserve the region called Indian Territory for the negroes, and to form a great negro commonwealth in the West.

Before speaking of the provisions of the Act, which has just been passed by the House of Representatives and may come up a tany time for consideration in the Senate, let us look a moment at the accompanying diagram.

MAP OF INDIAN TERRITORY.



- 1. Oklahoma—Beautiful Land. 2. No Man's Land. 3. Civilized Tribes. 4. Cherokee Land. 5. Nomadic Tribes.

4. Cherokee land.
5. Nomadic Tribes.
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5. Nomadic Tribes.
The region marked 1 is the Oklahoma country. Almost all the different bilis presented to Congress have provided for extending this euphonious and significant name to the whole of new territory to be organized large or small. The little piece numbered 2 is called No-Man's-Land. It is not a part of the Indian lands but is simply a piece of territory somewhat larger than Connecticut ceded to the United States by Texas in 1860. It is to form part of the new Oklahoma, and to-day contains a white population of thirty or forty thousand.
The portion to the right, number 3, is occupied, as has been already indicated, by the five civilized tribes, and several other very small Indian mations whom they have permitted to settle among them. This region will not be included in Oklahoma; the Indians will be left to manage their own affairs with only such supervision as is necessary to prevent civil discord, or disturbances on the border. The area of the New England States without Maine. The only railroad in Indian Territory passes through this section from north to south.
What is called the Cherokee outlet is shown at 4. This is a good grazing country, and is leased to certain cattle men by the Cherokee hation. It was originally granted to that tribe simply for the purpose of affording them an opportunity to visit the great hunting grounds of the west. It is scarcely necessary to say that these lands are never used for that purpose on Miles and the present bill declares all such leases void. This clause in the bill is said to be the cause of much of the opposition to the bill; the great cattle men desiring to continue so profitable a contract as the lease of these 6,000,000 acres for a mere song, less than three cents an area per year.

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other hearing on so much of the Govern-

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The committee on education gave an-

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ry of Lynn spoke against any change in the present law.

Secretary Dickinson of the State board of education spoke at length against any change of the law. A truant, he said, is a child wandering about the streets growing up in ignorance, and not subject to parental control. As a fact there are more or less truants in every town. It was supposed there were none in Newton, but 34 were found there. For these children no adequate school facilities are yet provided, aithough for many years attempts have been made in this direction. In 1850 an act was passed under which towns were required to provide places of restraint for such children. In 1802 the age of truants was made from 7 to sixteen and a fine of \$20 was imposed, or he could be sent to some place of restraint. In 1873 the age was made 7 to 15, as it now stands. It was also provided that three or more towns might require the county commissioners to establish a county truant school. In 1881 union truant schools were authorized. In 1883 Agent Walton of the board found there had been 250 truants confined in 20 towns. The number of truants reported is as follows: Berkshire county, 17; Franklin, 9; Hampshire, 12; Hampden, 26; Worcester, 57; Middlesex, 80; Essex, 61; Suffolk, 97; Norfolk, 24; Bristol, 35; Plymouth, 19; Barnstable, 7; Dukes and Nantucket, 1 cach. Mr. Dickinson then spoke of the good results that would come from such schools defined that education was much cheaper than crime, even from the financial standpoint. Salem and Lawrence have trunt schools of their own, but shead on the released from helping one for the county. Truancy is increasing and the counties must provide suitable schools. The undersigned is prepared to supply a few more families. I sell none except what is drawn from my own Jersey and grade cows, therefore know it is CLEAN and PUEE. Reference is made to any one who has taken milk of me the past two years. Orders may be sent to Los loss 3, Newton, or to me at Waltham, Rox 28.

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MANUAL TRAINING.

The West Newton Lyceum had a redletter night at this week's meeting, and certainly furnished a valid excuse for its existence by the attractions it offered.
Mr. E. B. Drew's lecture on Chinese etiquette was a very valuable and interesting paper, and the discussion between two such prominent educators as Mr. E. P. Seaver, superintendent of the Boston schools, and Mr. J. W. Dickinson, Secretary of the State Board of Education. was a notable one. The subject of man-ual training is one of the most important educational questions now before the public, and the leading educators feel that some change should be made in our public school system, which will tend public school system, which is to give results more satisfactory to the great majority of scholars and parents.

In the debate, Mr. Seaver represented

the progressive sentiment of the day, with which he is fully in sympathy, and his experience at the head of the Boston school system enables him to speak with a certain amount of authority. He set forth the needs of that great majority of boys who intend neither to enter college, nor to go into the learned professions. and who get little substantial benefit from the present system of High School training. It is the greatest good of the greatest number that should be considered in our public school system, and the college preparatory schools are so excellent and so numerous that it is hardly worth while to give so much of

The introduction of manual training would teach the pupils to think for themselves, while the great fault of the present system is that it resembles the mode of fitting fowls for market. The latter are crammed with food to the point of suffocation, just as the pupoint of same with facts, and al-though the memory is overburdened, the other powers of the mind are but sel-dom called into use. The examination of any high school curriculum will show plainly enough the truth of this state-

Mr. Dickinson appeared for the conservative educators, and he has had so much to do with the establishment of the present system that it is only natural he should have a favorable opinion of it and be disinclined to any change. It has no doubt worked excellently in special cases, any system would have worked well in special cases, but it is not the ex-ceptionally bright pupils who should be considered, but the average pupil, who needs all the advantages that can be giv-

Manual training is sure to come, as well as other improvements in our pub-lic school system. In every other de-partment of life vast changes for the better are being made and old fashioned methods are no longer suitable for our

One cannot help thinking what an ideal condition of things would be schools in most towns, is that the time of the management is so taken up with petty and unimportant details, that the higher interests of the schools are not considered. This is a case where the old adage about taking care of the pence and the pounds will take care of themselves does not apply. Minds that have been does not apply. Minds that have been trained by years of practice to see only the penny side, become unable to take any larger view, and the pound side appears to them only as a blank wall. In our schools, of all places, large minded and generous men are an indispensable necessity, if we aim after the highest

SENATORS HOAR and Dawes have re-ceived several hundred letters remon-strating against the increase of duty on tin-plates, and asking that they be put on the free list. There is at present no manufacturer in this country who would manufacturer in this country who would be benefitted by the tax, while many industries would be ruined by it as it would man an increase of price on all canned goods, on every article of tin-ware used in the kitchen, on every foot of tin used in the kitchen, on every foot of tin used on roofs, on furnace pipes, etc. They

ask the Senators to whom this increase of tax will be paid, to the United States Treasury, or to private parties to induce them to undertake the manufacture, and if they think unemployed Americans would be hired to make them or the wellfitted Welshmen who now almost monop olize the industry, in spite of efforts to start it in other parts of England and on the continent. The Senators are asked to answer through the press.

As there is no probability of the Senate bill ever becoming a law, there is no immediate danger lof an increase in the price of tin-plate, but the interests of the great majority of people who are consumers should be considered before that of the problematical few who might be benefitted by the starting of such an industry here. The greatest good to the greatest number is what should guide legislators, and the appeal shows the danger of thoughtless meddling with established conditions in obedience to a theory. The canning establishments of this country alone employ more labor and have more capital at stake than any tin plate manufacturers could have in many years, and it is only fair to consider the interests of those already in the field.

THE Boston Journal afforded a fine example of previousness the past week, in its editorial onslaught on Civil Service Commissioner Thompson, for alleged participation in election outrages in the South. It was a very vigorous editorial but, unfortunately, it was not based on the facts. Stories of Southern election outrages are a good deal like other sen-sational stories, when investigated, and sensible people are rather tired of the cheap political talk in regard to them. It never results in action and is not in tended to. Every one who has spent any time in the Southern states realizes that the white people of the South have a very serious problem on their hands, and that large numbers of voters there are not fit to be trusted with the ballot. We have had enough Riddlebergers in Congress, and rather than submit to such an infliction again, most people would decide that tissue ballots were justifiable. It is a favorite subject with politicians, for it can be discussed without previous study, unlike the tariff; it does not cut off the spoils of office, like civil service reform, and it is always safe to denounce any abuse that is practiced some thousands of miles away, although there may be much greater ones nearer home. If the politicians had any practical remedy to suggest, all these denunciations might be of some use, but denunciation is their only stock in trade.

THE Constitutional Prohibition Amendment is receiving some vigorous discussion, and so far there are few papers that openly advocate it. The Congregationalist, with the experience of Rhode Island before it, with every desire to banish the saloons from our streets, is "not able to share that confidence which so many, whose public spirit and enlight-ened philanthropy we profundly respect, feel in the salutary results of the adoption of such an addition to our Constitu-The Lowell Courier thinks the law could hardly be expected to be more effectual in Massachusetts than Rhode Island, and that in the large cities it would mean free rum. It also says that 'in the smaller cities and towns there is prohibition now, and always can be much better under the laws of to-day than is likely to be under the constitution." Templeton, the Boston correspondent of the Hartford Courant, finds that the radical Prohibitionists "have no faith that the amendment is to be adopted. In this class are the Rev. Dr. Miner, Judge Pitman and some others. are the ablest men, and the best orators, but they have long been inimical to the Republicans, and are reluctant to engage in any work under their lead."

THE House has taken back water and acceded to the request of Mr. Abner C. Goodell, commissioner of province laws, asking for an investigation of sensational stories against him. This is rather of a defeat for Speaker Barrett, as his papers have been almost the only ones to publish the ridiculous trash, and there is no doubt but that Mr. Goodell, who has done such admirable work in publishing the province laws will be completely ex-onerated. It is rather beneath the digni-ty of the great and General Court to notice charges brought on such irrespon-

MR. DICKINSON showed the necessity for county truant schools in an effective manner, before the legislative committee on Tuesday. The figures he quoted are g ven elsewhere and prove that some such schools are a necessity.

Resolutions. Mr. J. P. Cobb was to have conducted the Orange County Musical Association, at Port Jervis, N. Y., Feb. 13th, 14th and 15th, and the association, learning of the sad news of his death, passed the follow-ing resolutions:

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sorrow that the final conquerer of all has taken away our beloved instructor, doseph P. Coob. Therfore, be That it is the sense of this Association that we have lost a friend whose kindly beart and sterling worth endeared him to us all and whose memory we shall ever cherish; and that the canse of musical education has received a severe blow in the loss of so ardent a devotee and successful teacher of the art of music; That our heartfelt sampathy be extended to the heraved widos, the efficient belopmate of her has been all the companions and that a copy thereof be forwarded to Mrs. Cobb.

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OUR BOSTON LETTER

From Our special Correspondent

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A Sketch of the Old Merchants Ex-change—The Legal Majority of the Albany Rail Road and Newton Directors—The Cider Claus—Legis-lative Doings.

THE OLD MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE. THE OLD MERCHANTS EXCHANGE IT IS just fifty years since the nerchants of Boston decided to build an exchange for the accommodation of merchants and business men which should be superor in all its appointments to any other similar building but the light of the similar buildings.

its appointments to any other similar building in the United States.

The generation which knew Topliff's reading room in the basement of the Old State House and the post-office above has not entirely passed away. For the times those accommodations were ample. But none so well knew that Boston was growing as did the merchants of that day. At ing as did the merchants of that day ing as did the merchants of that day. At one time the race between Bostonand New York for the right to be regarded as the first commercial city was not ar unequal one and in fact was largely in favor of Boston as the winning city. A year later when it was known that the Cunard Company, who started the first regular line of ocean steamers, has decided to make Boston the western terminus, nearly settled the question. western terminus, nearly settled the question, and if Boston had followed up its advar.tage then, with the same spirit and determination that later gave to New York the right to control our domestic manufac-tures and spread Boston capital by hundreds of millions throughout the west, ton would to-day have ranked New York, with all its boasted facilities as a commer cial city.

The advent of the Cunard line hastened the building of the "new exchange." Robert G. Shaw then a leading merchant, was president of the new company, and had as di-rectors the most noted merchants, bankers

and business men of the day and business men of the day.

The corner store was laid in August, 1842, with great pomp and ceremony, by Thomas Handyside Perkins, the famous East India & China merchant. A little more than a year afterward the noble mercantile temple was opened. In all its appointments it more than realized the ideas and expectations of its founders. For one decade at least, and perhaps two it maintained its clory. It perhaps two, it maintained its glory. was the pride of Boston and it never failed was the pride of Boston and it never falled to receive the most flattering notices from distinguished foreigners. Its reading-room was a marvel of architecture and convenience. The other surroundings were in proportion and for years it was a source of large income to the stockholders. I think E. P. Whipule, the critic and essayist was E. P. Whipple, the critic and essayist, was the first agent of the news room, and Bob Hudson and John Smith run the news and marine department. The annual subscription was \$10.

And now it has passed into the hands of

a syndicate who are to build upon its site another magnificent structure. It has been suggested by some parties that the entire front, including the magnificent pillars, should be taken down intact and set up in some vacant space, to be kept as a memorial of the past commercial grandeur of Boston. The idea is a good one and I trust it will be carried out. The last surviving member of the original board of directors is Philo S. Shelton, now over four score years of age, but who hardly looks over fifty. The box imbedded in the piluth, of the north-east corner, placed there at the laying of the corner stone thirty-seven years ago and containing a list of the original directors and stockholders with other interesting documents, will doubtless be secured by the Bostonian Society and form one of its most valuable collections.

THE BOSTON AND ALBANY RALIROAD. suggested by some parties that the entire

THE BOSTON AND ALBANY RAILROAD. As I am historically inclined, let me say As I am historically inclined, let me say that the year 1889 practically represents the legal majority of the Boston & Albany railroad. By the courtesy of an old official of the Boston & Worcester Railroad, I have the farewell report to the stockholders of that corporation; issued in 1868. The officers then were Ginery Twichell, Daniel Dewey. Nathaniel Hammond, Benjamin F. ey, Nathaniel Hammond, Benjamin F. White, Peter T Homer, Emery Washburn, D. Walde Lincoln, William Claffin, George P. Upham, directors.

Ginery Twichell, president; D. Waldo Ginery Twichell, president; D. Waldo Lincoln, vice president; Abraham Frith, superintendent; Horace Williams, treasuraer; George S. Hale, clerk and solicitor, Edward Wilder, auditor and paymaster. Of the above I think there are living only William Claffin of the directors and George S. Hale the clerk.

The act which consolidated the Boston & Worcester and the Western railroad was approved May 24, 1867, and hereby hangs a tale. It was known for years that there was a disagreement between the Boston & was a disagreement between the Boston &

was a disagreement between the Boston & Worcester and the Western railroad corporations as to terminal facilities. At inter-vals, the directors of both corporations de-sired a close connection or a union. This was put off from time to time till the Westeducator as Mr. Seaver to take entire charge of its school system; elect a school committee of progressive men to support his efforts, and let him make over the system into what it should be. It would prove a paying experiment, as every parent with children to educate would want to live there, and the fame of its schools would extend through the nation. The great trouble with the schools in resolution of the two has been progressive men to support his efforts, and let him make over the system into what it should be. It would prove a paying experiment, as every parent with children to educate would want to live there, and the fame of its schools would extend through the nation. The great trouble with the schools in resolution of a union. This was put off from time to time till the Western, the larger corporation of the two, sought legislative action, and this came in the shape of a permissory bill for the union of the two corporations. Failing an agreement, the Western was not only allowed, but ordered within a certain date to make the consolidation or enter Boston from Worcester over independent tracks or unite with any other line. The alternative lators naturally shrink from doing anypher with the schools in resolution of the two. John J. Swift, met the Western railroad on equal terms, the present history Boston & Albany railroad might have been

The real cause for the consolidation was The real cause for the consolidation was the purchase of the franchise was offered to the Fitchburg railroad and refused. Hon. Emery Washburn of the B. & W. R. R., saw what was in the future, and purchased the fran

was in the future, and purchased the franchise for the company.

The charter of the Boston & Worcester Railroad was approved June 22, 1831. The corporation was organized July 25, 1831 as follows: Nathan Hale, Duniel Henshaw, George Bond, Thomas Motley, Daniel Dewey, Joshua Clapp and Henry Williams, directors; Nathan Hale, President; George Morey, Joshua Clapp and Lengy Williams, directors; Nathan Hale, President; George Morey, Joshua Clapp and Lengy Williams, directors; Nathan Hale, President; George

rectors; Nathan Hale, President; George Morey, clerk and treasurer; John M. Fessendon, engineer.

Construction was commenced July, 1832; opened for travel to Newton, April 16, 1834; to Needham, July 3; to Hopkinton (now Ashland), Sept. 20; Weston, Nov. 15, and to Worcester, July 3, 1835. The charter of the Western Railroad Corporation was granted March 15, 1833, to the individuals then composing the board of directors of the Reston & Worcester R. R. Geography. the Wes drs. Cobb.
Unanimously adopted and read at the concert,
GRANT B. TANLOR, President,
GRONGE WICKHAM, Secretary.
February 15, 1889.

granted March 15, 1833, to the individuals then composing the board of directors of The Boston & Worcester R. R. Corporation.
The corporation was organized January 4,

1836; road opened from Worcester to Springfield Oct 1, 1839, and to Albany, Dec. Springfield Oct 1, 1839, and to Albany, Dec. 21, 1841. William Jackson of Newton was probably the most efficient man on the early board of directors and had the most influence in determining the route and in settling the land damages. Later on Israel Lombard, Esq., of Newton, was one of the board of directors of the Boston & Worcessend of the property of the Poston of the Posto board of directors of the boston & worester, and to his energy and foresight was due the straightening of the line between Newton and Brighton, which ultimately led to all the improvements made between Boston & Worcester by the existing corporation.

THE CIDER CLAUSE. One must have a large degree of charity if he supposes that the attempts before the liquor committee of the legislature to "exempt cider," meant anything. The effect was weak in its incipiency because no one believed it to be honest. If it was intended as a catch for the voters in the farming re-gions of the State, it was decidedly a fail-ure.

The most sensible way for the Republi-

can party of the State to get out of this "fix" is to candidly acknowledge that it meant nothing from the start. Prohibition from the start has been found to be inoper ative. The local option law has been the best ever passed for the suppression of drunkenness in localities. Take for in-stance the City of Newton. Newton has stance the Cuy of Action. Newton has always thrown a strong "no license" vote. But when it comes to the question of the constitutional prohibitory amendment, the city of Newton will doubtless go against, and for the best of reasons that localities though the best indices and that theses should be the best indices and that theses. should be the best judges, and that the con-trol should be with communities and not under a law which at any time can be disputed before a court of justice.

I have the word of one of the most ardent I have the word of one of the most ardent temperance men in the State senate, in which he says, "I hope the people will not accept the constitutional amendment, for it will lead to the basest hypocrisy, and the violation of a law of the State that cannot violation of a law of the State that cannot be reached except through the tedious courses of the law. It may be unjust, but I believe that a majority of the leading lawyers of the State are praying that the people will accept the amendment. It will give them ample scope for the toughest kind of litigation. In fact I think I can name some half score of eminent lawyers who are itching to have the amendment passed, in order to increase their already bloated practice. When will such humbugs cease?

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEES.

ERGISLATIVE COMMITTEES.
Some one the other day asked me in all good faith, if I could define the use or need of legislative committees. After an experience of nearly fifty years I was compelled to reply that I could not give the definition legally; but as a "looker on" I thought I could. With few exceptions there has not been an honest legislative committee during the past twenty years. By honest I mean the past twenty years. By honest I mean the past twenty years. By honest I mean rendering an opinion from self-conviction. Nearly, or quite all of these committees are arranged for before the legislature meets. The choice of president and speaker depends largely upon the distribution of committee assignment. No one supposes for an instant that any member, with the exception of the Senate or House chairman, covers-the right to sit during the tedious hearings for the "honor" of the office. No! hearings for the "honor" of the office. No! he is placed there because the party fuglers have ordered him there to take charge of certain interests

certain interests.

One half of the business of the present legislature could have been disposed of a week ago had it not been for the log rolling between the committees—"you vote for this and I will vote for that". that is the question, and yet we think we have a high-toned, disinterested legislature, whose only voice is that of their constituents! "Misvoice is that of their constituents! "Mis taken souls.

Wednesday closed the second month of the legislature of 1889. The record shows that on Wednesday the Senate was thirty-nine numbers short in its calendar over the calendar of the corresponding date of 1888 and that the House is twenty numbers

I think the chances now are that the I think the chances now are that the committee on towns will go it strong for the division of Beverly, and the creating of the town of Beverly Farms. The whole thing is in a nutshell. The chairman told me, "we are satisfied." "We have gone over the ground, and if there was ever a over the ground, and it there was ever a sure case for petitioners, the Beverly Farms people have that case. The com-mittee has no sympathies beyond the rights of the people and in this case the sympa-thies of the committee and the right of the people unite on the affirmative of dividing Beverly." "So mought it be."

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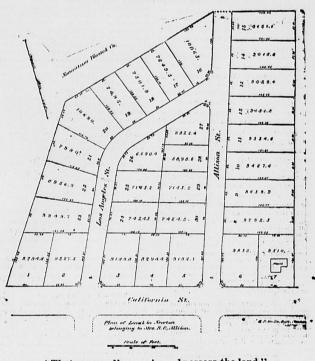
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NEWTONVILLE.

-Mrs. Ernest Boyden is visiting Mrs. A L. Bates at Portland, Me.

-Mr. F. H. Hunting lost a valuable horse this week, worth \$250.

-Mr. Veramus Wentworth is building a w residence on Foster place.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Heath left yester-day for Washington and will attend the in-augural ceremonies.

-The engagement of Miss Alice Abbott of Newtonville to Mr. Geo. Martin of Wa-tertown is announced.

—A delegation of members of Norumbe-ga tribe visited the Waltham tribe of Red Men, Wednesday evening.

—John Dugan could not take the civil service examination for policeman on account of his age. He was 8 months too

—Inspector J. D. Hall visited the New-tonville postoffice, Thursday, to perfect ar-rangements for the lease of a postoffice lo-

—Norumbega tribe of Red Men went to Watertown last evening, where the degree staff conferred the adoption degree on sev-eral candidates. -Watches cleaned, \$1.50; mainspring,

—Past Chief Patriarch W. S. French and embers of Tremont Encampment, I. O. O., of Boston, visited Columbian Encamp-ent, Stoneham, Monday evening.

—In accordance with a request signed by six members of the Newton Outing club, a special meeting of this club will be held at the rooms on Monday evening, March 4th, 1889, at 8 o'clock.

—Mr. W. S. French has been appointed district deputy grand patriarch of the Grand Encampment, I. O. O. F., He has also been appointed a member of the com-mittee on laws of the Grand Encampment.

— Michael Shehan, a very old resident, died at his late residence on Crafts street, Tuesday evening. The deceased was about 75 years of age and was an employe of Messrs. Robinson & Stearns, tripe dealers, for many years,

Additional years,
—A dance was given in Tremont Hall last
Friday evening under the auspices of the
Newtonville Literary and Social Club. Its
was a very pretty party and quite a large
number were present. Mr. H. P. Cook officiated as floor director.

—Mrs. Mary Wandless fell down in the Central church yard, Sunday evening, stumbling just as the electric light went out, and sustaining painful bruises. She was romoved to the residence of her son, A. J. Wandless, Allston street.

J. Wandiess, Aliston street.

—Miss Hattie Pierce, eldest daughter of Lawyer Pierce of Newtonville, gave a small and select tea party at her father's residence last week, Wednesday evening. After an excellent collation they adjourned to the Newton club rooms, where dancing was kept up to a late hour.

—The L. S. N. Whist club met at the residence of Mr. E. N. Boyden, Edinboro street, Monday evening. The delightful evening was somewhat marred for those who returned to Newton and Boston by the delay of the train, but they reached home before morning.

—Messrs. Fuller and French have leased Gov. Claffin's house, corner of Walnut and Turner streets, to J. Morrisson of Boston; Gov. Claffin's house on Bowen street to J. G. Kilburn of Newton; Mr. J. S. Stover's house on Walnut Place to E. P. Hatch of West Newton.

Mest Newton.

—Messrs. Higgins & Nickerson, having purchased the large lot of land bordering on Lowell and Edinboro streets, it is expected there will be extensive building operations in the near future, and doubtless the long-delayed opening of Foster street into Lowell, will now be accomplished.

—A surprise party was tendered to Miss Lane at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Higgins, Brooks avenue, Monday even-ing. Numerous friends of the young lady were present and a delightful social even-ing was passed. Refreshments were served and the party was both successful and en-joyeble.

joyable.

—A special meeting of the Newton Outing Club was held Monday evening to complete the arrangements for the proposed pool and whist tournament. All who wish to enter must give their names to the treasurer, Mr. G. A. Strout, before Tuesday evening next, when the first games of the series will be played.

Mr. J. T. Hill has made imprevements in his office which has been neatly fitted up and fürpished. The desk is enclosed with a handsome cherry rall, and a pretty carpet with handsome rugs adds greatly to the general appearance of the room. Some substantial antique oak chairs have been added to the furnishings.

—The ladies of the Methodist society gave an "Old Folks" supper in the vestry Wednesday evening. The sale table, a feature of the entertainment, was quite liberally patronized, and a comical little sketch entitled "An Old Fashioned School" was presented by a company of ladies and gentlemen from West Newton.

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The new bowling alley at the Newton club flouse is nearly completed. It will be one of the best alleys in the city. It is 60 feet long, and an additiou 22 by 22 was made to the main building in order to obtain the necessary length. The builder is Mr. H. F. Ross, and it is expected that the alley will be ready Saturday evening.

—There are special attractions now in art circles. An interesting display of pupils' work at the Art club—a fine collection of views among the Rockies, with California and Colorado scenes, Noyes & Cobb, new store, corner of Boylston and Carver streets, is alluring for its easy access and fine light, Doll, Richards & Chase offer their art treasures.

many handsome toilets, and much socia-bility and cheer within, and the affair may well be counted an entire success.

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—There was a large attendance in the parlors of the Newton Club Tuesday evening, when Mr. Charles N. Thomas gave his illustrated lecture entitled "Here and There in the Civil War." The stereopticon was arranged in the hall and the canvas so placed in the room that the illustrations could be seen to the best possible advantage. The lecturer was introduced by Mr. J. W. Hollis of the entertainment committee, who alluded to the purpose of the club to give a series of pleasant entertainments during the winter, to which the ladies could be invited. The lecturer held the close attention of his audience for about an hour and a half. The pictures were exceptionally fine, those of Gen. Grant, Gen. Logan and Gen. Stonewall Jacksou being among the number shown. The lecturer gave a brief resume of the lives of these three men and gave many interesting reminiscences of the late war. At the conclusion of the lecture refreshments were served.

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—A union temperance meeting was held in the Central Congregational church, Sunday evening. The subject for consideration was the proposed constitutional prohibitory amendment. Rev. R. A. Whité, pastor of the Universalist church, soke of the common objection urged against the feasibility of prohibition, alliding to the high license craze and the statement frequently made that prohibition does not prohibit. He took the ground that it would be better to have a constitutional rather than a statute law, and favored prohibition rather that high license. High license, said the speaker, increases the revenue and decreases the amount of liquor sold. If liquor is sold in Boston under the proposed limitation law the 500 licensed saloons will do the business that was done by the several thousand saloons before. The plan fails because it does not limit the dealer as to the amount of liquor sold or the tour and saloons before. The plan fails because it does not limit the dealer as to the amount of liquor sold or the tour and saloons before. The plan fails because it does not limit the dealer as to the amount of liquor sold or the View of the remarks upon the question were made by Rev. G. S. Butters and Rev. Pleasant Hunter, Jr.

WEST NEWTON.

-Mr. Arthur R. Coe sails for England this week, to be gone a few weeks on a busi-

—Mr. William H. Pettigrew is building a new residence on Auburn street which ne will occupy when completed.

—In court since our last issue, five case: have been disposed of as follows: drunks 4; violation of the liquor law, 1.

—A meeting of the Educational Club will be held this afternoon. Opening paper by Miss Amelia Davis, entitled "Jane Aus-tin." —Arrangements are being perfected for a sociable under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society at the residence of Mrs. Henry King.

King.

—The Alpha Banjo club gave some very fine music in Nickerson's hall, Monday evening, at the meeting of the West Newton Lyceum.

—Arrangements for a grand dance and supper to be held at Lee's Hotel, March 13, are in progress. It promises to be a brilliant success.

—Mrs. H. M. Quimby has moved her mil-linery establishment into handsomely fur-nished parlors in the rear of the old store. The store which she formerly occupied will be rented.

Officers Libby and Holmes assisted "Capt." Phelps in arresting Randall at the performance given by "The Players," in the City Hall, Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

There will be a Sunday school sociable this afternoon at the Unitarian church parlors, commencing at 4 o'clock. A supper will be served, also games and dancing for all the children.

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-Newton Lodge 92, 1.0.0.F., conferred the third degree upon three candidates last evening. It also admitted Rev. R. A. White a member by card. The work of the degree staff was admirably executed.

-The stage at the performances by The Players was lighted entirely by electricity through the courtesy of the Newton Electric Light and Power Company, under the supervision of Mr. Miner Robinson.

Rev. Nicholas P. Gilman's work or profit sharing will be published by Houghton, Mifflin & Co., on Saturday, March 16 The first edition, the larger part of which is already engaged, will be 2,000 copies.

Work of excavation upon the lot adjoing the Valentine estate has commenced, preparatory to the removal of the house formerly occupied by Miss Brigham. It will as before be utilized as a boarding house.

—The Woman's Educational club has sent a petition to the school board to which 92 signatures are attached calling attention to the desirability of the vacation school where the industrial arts could be success-fully taught.

This taught.

The feasibility of Industrial education
was ably discussed by Mr. E. P. Seaver,
superintendent of the Boston schools, and
Mr. J. W. Dickinson, secretary of the
state board of education, before the Lyceum
Monday evening.

Monday evening.

—A successful apron and necktie party was given in Good Templars' hall, Wednesday evening under the auspices of Loyalty lodge, I. O. G. T. There was quite a large number present and the occasion was a most

enjoyanie one.

—Mr. Wm. S. Barbour, brother of Mr.
Alfred L. Barbour of this ward, died at his
residence in Cambridgeport on Sunday
morning last. He was the city engineer of
Cambridge and his death was the result of
a paralytic stroke.

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—A large and fashionable audience attended the second performance of "Randall's Thumb" by "The Players" in the City Hall; last evening. The performance was notable for smoothness and spirited impersonations by the principal characters.

the teacher and among the pupils were Mr. and Mrs. Ellot Trowbridge, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barker,Mr. and Mrs. Edward Trowbridge, Mr. Frank Bell and Mrs. Bell. The affair was successfully carried out and the costuming was in accordance with the style of ye old fashioned times.

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—The citizens are beginning to make inquiries about the proposed police signal system, and are anxious to learn when it will be put in operation. The city council of 1888 made an appropriation to cover the cost of installing the system, and the post of the control of the

mittee will probably make a deninte report in the near future.

— Washington's birthday was observed by the pupils of St. Joseph's school with appropriate exercises. The girls were in old fashioned dresses and the boys donned continental costumes. The program follows: Song, "America," school; composition, (Washington), Frank Fitz; recitation, "Our Flag," Paul Fitz and Charles Cox; Washington exercise, boys of the school; composition, "Incidents of the life of Washington," Willie O'Neil; flag drill, boys of the school; recitation, "Independence Bell," Frank Fitz; song, "High in the Belfry," school; recitation, "Yankee Doodle," Willie O'Neill; dance, Virginia reel; song, "Star Spangled Banner," school. The flag drill was among the successful features of the exercises.

—A concert was given in aid of St. Ber-

the exercises.

A concert was given in aid of St. Bernard's Sunday school library in Niekerson's hall, Wednesday evening. There was a large audience present completely filling the hall, and the applause was frequent and generous. The program comprised the following selections: piano solo, "polonaise," Miss M. Grimes; song, Joseph Sheehan; song, "The hat my father wore," Miss T. Redmond; exercise, "highland filng," Miss T. O'Callaghan; melody, "the minstrel boy," Mr. John J. McCluskey; declamation, "vision of Bulthasar," Mr. C. P. Denon; song, selected, Mrs. M. R. O'Callaghan; duct, Messrs. Regan and Collins; exercise, "sallor's hornpipe," Master W. Murphy; ballad, "O'Donnell Aboo," Mr. John J. McCluskey; song, 'the little Quaker," Miss T. Redmond; ballad, Mrs. Marquerite Callaghan,

T. Redmond; ballad, Mrs. Marquerice Callaghan.

—A civil service examination for members of the police force and foreman of the highway department was held in the City Hall Tuesday morning. Thirteen persons took the examination for the police force and six for foreman of the highway department. The following gives the list of persons who desire to become patrolmen and don the blue suits and brass buttons: L. F. Ashley, B. F. Burke, Ruben D. Chaplain, D. J. Corcoran, R. B. Conroy, W. H. Condrin, James A. Early, H. H. Hazleton, E. W. Hodgson, W. A. Leonard, A. L. Perry, R. T. Taffe, Charles Tapley, C. R. Young, The examination was conducted by Mr. Henry E. Sherwin, executive officer of the board of civil service examiners. Of the applicants for the civil service examination for the police six persons had previously been examined, and some of the number were on the eligible list for appointment a year ago.

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—Rev. Mr. Juynes last Sunday, at the request of his parishoners, gave an interesting resume of his missionary work in Duluth. It is a town of 46,000 inhabitants bearing the tone and character of New England civilization, like many other western places. The town has many fine churches, public buildings, hospitals and elegant private residences, with an air of stability and permanence lacking in many others. British work was the difficult one of a build one with a many others. In the control of the con

number of large places, rather than scattering it over a large area of less important ones.

—The children's entertainment in the City Hall on the afternoon of Washington's birthday was a great success. Nearly 400 children with parents and friends attended, and the hall was completely filled with the large number present. Music was rendered by the Germania orchestra, and J. C. Wild, banjoist and humorist, gave solos and comical sketches. The children from the Warren street chapel in character costumes danced the Irish reel, Highland fling, Sailor's hornpipe and the Spanish dance, and all the children marched around the hall and sung national songs under the direction of Mr. Walton, instructor of music in the public schools. The 'selections rendered were 'Marching through Georgia,' 'The Star Spangled Banner,'' He latter number being repeated by request, and all joining in the rendition. Mr. E. F. Kimoall explained the circumstances which led the composer to write 'The Star Spangled Banner,'' A picture of George Washington was draped with the American flag and placed in front of the stage. A variety of games were provided for the amusement of the children, under the direction of Miss Nova Tatt. Dancing, in which the young folks participated, was among the enjoyable features. The managers were Messrs, Samuel Barnard, W. Eustis Barker, Theodore A. Flew, and M. A. Richards. The party was managed excellently and the affair will be pleasantly remembered by the young folks who participated in the pieasures of the occasion.

—Red Banking Company—On Saturday afternoon. 37d. the company hed its math

creation of the continuous sections and fine light, Doll, Richards & Chase offer their art treasures.

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after which "Humpty Dumpty" appeared and also the "The old woman that lived in the shee," with her numerous family. Then came marches and games, and at an early hour the happy company dispersed, taking their Red Banks, and beginning to think of another good time next year.

AUBURNDALE

-Mr. E. B. Haskell has gone to Florida. -Miss Mabel Thorpe of Westerly, R.I., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Richard Rowe of this ward.

-C. G. Tinkham sold four horses this week. A handsome pair was purchased by Mr. Cushing of Weston.

-Capt. Charles T. Haskell, having sailed from Singapore three months since, is due in New York about this time.

—The Relief Corps met at Brown's, Wolcott Park, on Wednesday evening, being entertained in a most hospitable manner.

hospitable manner.

—The sad death of Mrs, J. Q. Adams, occurring less than a week after that of her little son, has cast a gloom over our village. She was one of the lovliest of women. Her husband and three daughters have all sympathy in their bereavement.

—Auburn Assembly, Good Fellows, used its new furniture at the last meeting, Monday evening, for the first time. It is a handsome oak set and a new and pretty carpet has been added to the furnishings. One new member was admitted and 2 applications for membership were received.

were received.

—The concert in Auburn Hall. Saturday evening, Mar. 2nd, promises to be very successful, financially and musically. Mile Convolsier, recently from the Paris conservatory, teacher of French and vocal music at the fitverside school, Miss Fannie Barnes, the well known soprano, Prof. Morse of Wellesley College, Mr. Harry D. Young, director of music in Waltham, Mr. Wm.W. Cobb, pupil of Lang, and Mr. A. B. Allison pupil of Facton, will all contribute their services, and the program will be interesting from beginning to end. Tickets at Mrs. Markham's store and at the door. Concert begins at eight.

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Concert begins at eight.

—A sad affliction is to be chronicled this week in the death of a son and the wife of Mr. J. Q. Adams of Hancock street. A little boy, 6 years of age died of diptheria last Friday and was buried on the following day. Mrs. Adams died of consumption on Tuesday and the remains were interred in the North Brookfield cemetery yesterday. A service of prayer was held at the late residence of the deceased and the funeral services were held at the former home of Mrs. Adams in Brookfield. She was a lady of excellent character and was much respected and esteemed. The husband, three girls and a boy survive. The sympathy of the entire community is tendered to the bereaved family in its hour of sorrow.

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The assemblage of about one hundred people at the elegant residence of Mr. and Mrs. Butler, on Wednesday evening, was a notable event in Auburndale society. The program was exceptionally rich. Mrs. Clara Tourjee Nelson sang delightfully. It was a great pleasure to the friends who had known her from childhood to hear her sweet, voice in excellent execution. Mr. Faelton's admirers had fresh cause to praise his playing, in which delicacy other than power was apparent, as was suitable for a parlor concert. Mr. Mahr's violin playing was also most enjoyable, and Signor Rotoli, though too hoarse to sing his solos showed his complete method and faultless taste in a duet from "A Night in Venice," which he sung with Mrs. Nelson. Many beautiful costames were worn and the young ladies who assisted in the reception after the concert, made a trio of remarkable attractiveness. The hand painted programs were a novelty, each one an artistic gem, and the guests were refreshed with delicacies under the skilful direction of the popular proprietor of Woodland Park Hotel.

—Riverdale lodge 76, New England

tor of Woodland Park Hotel.

—Riverdale lodge 76, New England Order of Protection, was instituted by Grand Warden Samuel P. Tenny, (exmayorlot Chelsea) and suite, last Saturday evening, in Auburn hall. The following is a list of the newly elected officers: Willis F. Hadlock, warden; Mrs. H. H. Dyer, vice-warden; Geo. H. Bourne, post warden; Carrie L. Bourne, chaplain; F. I. Faulkenbury, secretary; James H. Dolliver, financial secretary; Mrs. J. H. Dolliver, tresurer; Geo. E. Mann, guide: A. H. Richardes, guardian; trustees for Dolliver, financial secretary: Mrs. J. H. Dolliver, tresurer; Geo. E. Mann, guide: A. H. Richards, guardian; trustees for 3 years, John Bean; 2 years, W. B. Atherton; 1 year, F. L. Kallock. The lodge starts with 30 members and 25 more will join at the next meeting, which will be held Wednesday evening next. The degree staff of Puritan Lodge of Cambridge will be present at the next meeting to work the initiatory degree. Among those present at the institution ceremonies were noticed: Supreme secretary Edward L. Nayes, Charles H. Burr, medical examiner of the supreme lodge, and Mr. Martin of the board of trustees.

Lasell Notes.

Mrs. Marvin, (Leora Haley) was here for a call.

Miss Mary Cole of Boston was out on the 22nd for a brief time.

Mrs. Cunmock, (Louise Best) spent a night with her sister and friends last week. The menu for the cooking class, Feb. 25, was grouse, bread sauce, egg souffle, creamy

Miss Marion Talbot resumed her lectures pon Sanitation, Wednesday afternoon

Also Miss Marian Belcher, Miss Maude Newcomb, spent the night of the 26th with

The dress making and art needle work classes, though not so full as last year, are in successful operation.

A party of pupils attended a parlor concert held at the house of Mr. and Mrs. But ler of Auburndale, on Wednesday evening, the 27th.

On 'Friday afternoon, Feb. 22nd, a large deputation of pupils accompanied Mr. Bragdon-to Newton to witness the High School military drill, while many others visited the Blind Asylum in South Boston. visited the Bind Asylum in South Boston.
Mr. William T. Shepherd and Mrs. Shepherd will again conduct a party to Washington this spring, during the week from April 17 to 24, giving an Easter Sunday in Washington. Mr. Shepherd will receive ladies who desire to join the party whether friends of the pupils or not.

rienus of the pupils or not.

On Monday night the Apollo Club was enjoyed by a number of teachers and pupils. On Monday night, also, Professor and Mrs. Bragdon started for the West by way of Chicago. They will be at the festival of Mardi Gras in New Orleans next week, and will be absent about two weeks.

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The sleigh ride of ten days ago was not mentioned in last week's Graphic. Quite a portion of the school went in the atternoon. The larger number in the evening. What was wanted in easy running was made up in mirth. The condition of the roads made it impossible to go to Boston as was desired, but it was fortunate that the ride was taken before the snow disappeared entirely.

The main thought of the Bible lesson on Sunday, Feb. 24, being that a prophet is not without honor except in his own country, together with some history of the desciples of Christ. Dr. Pierce took the opportunity to show how often revivals are effected through the instrumentality of persons from the ranks of the uneducated, the

main body of the people themselves as were these fishermen. In the Methodist revival of the 18th century were many illustrations. More recently Mr. Moody, Sam Jones and Sam Small, the Salvation Army, have been means of awakening public interest where more learned men could not

terest where more learned men could not.

The Principal and Mrs. Bragdon with the teachers held a reception on Thursday evening, Feb. 21, at which the senior and junior class of the school were present, also the senior class of the theological department of Boston University, Fev. Dr. B. K. Pierce and daughter of Newton, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Parkhurst of Boston Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Shinn of Newton, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Cutler, Kev. Mr. and Mrs. Knox, and Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Awy and Mrs. Arkurdalf, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer and her brother, Mr. Holden of California, Prof. Thos. Lindsay of Auburndale and others.

Resolutions.

The following resolutions were adopted at a meeting of the Assessors:

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Resolved, That the Assessors of the
City of Newton desire to express their
sense of the loss they have sustained in
the death of their late associate, Isaac
Hagar, he having served the Town, and
City of Newton more than forty years as
one of the Assessors.

We heartily testify to the valuable services so faithfully rendered; to his courteous bearing, unswerving integrity and
genial disposition, which won him many
friends to whom his loss will bring sorrow
and leave a vacant place which cannot be
filled. And be it turther
Resolved, That these resolutions be

filled. And be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be
spread upon the records and a copy of
the same be sent to the family of the

S. M. JACKSON, H. B. COFFIN, C. A. MINER,

The friends of probitition have secured one of the most able political organizers in the State, in Col. E. H. Haskell, who is at the head of their campaign committee, and he also thoroughly believes in the cause. Rev. Dr. of this city is a member of the committee on champaign literature.

MARRIED

McKENSIE—McKENSIE—In Boston, Feb. 21, by Rev. C. L. Rhoades, Thomas McKensie of Newton and Elizabett E. McKensie of Dover. MANNAND—FLYNN—In Newton, Feb. 21, oy Rev. F. B. Hornbrooke, John Q. A. Mannand and Carrie E. Flynn both of Natick.
GRATTON—ADAMSON—In Newton Centre, Feb. 21, by Rev. D. L. Thurber, Alexander H. Gratton and Jeanette C. Adamson both of Newton.

Newton.

KILROY-LEONARD-In West Newton, Feb
24, by Rev. J. A. Barrett, Michael Kilroy and
Bridget Leonard both of Newton.

DIED.

TRIMBLE—In Newton Upper Falls, Feb. 21 Chnriotte E., widow of Chas. H. Trimble, aged 56 yrs.

Charlotte E., widow of Chas, H. Timble, aged 59 yrs.

ADAMS—In Auburndale, Feb. 22, John C. A., son of John Q. Adams, aged 6 yrs. 5 mos, 3 dys.

FITZGERALD—In Newton, Feb. 25, Patrick Fitzgerald, aged 29 yrs.

ADAMS—In Auburndale, Feb. 26, Sarah L. wife of John Q. Adams, aged 43 yrs, 7 mos, 23 dys.

ALLEX—In Newton, Feb. 26, Catherine, widow of George Allen, aged 69 yrs.

SHEEHAN—In Newton, Feb. 26, Michael Sheehan, aged 69 yrs.

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PANISH—A person of experience now resid-ing in this city, but for many years a resident of Spanish speaking countries, would like a few private pupils in that language, evenings. Ad-dress "Spanish," Graphic Office, Newton.

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A BOGUS ANCHORESS.

The doctor's wife scanned her visitor in silence. With the audacity of an outand-out Protestant, she was revolving in her mind certain impious questions. This was the third mendicant in pious garb who had come to her door within a month, soliciting alms for the support of month, soliciting aims for the support of some far-away religious institution. Who was to assure her that the contributions she had already given would be faithfully dedicated to the purpose for which they had been given? Would the Catholics take pity upon the needy or suffering of other denominations? In her growing distrust she leaped to reckless surmises. What if these black-robed women were not "sisters" after all, but merely bold imposters, who assumed the dress of the order for the time, for their own selfish aims and purposes?

She recalled herself from her reverie with a little shudder, and her voice was

with a little shudder, and her voice was hard and cold as she spoke.

"Sister Veronica, I really do not feel justified in helping your hospitals and asylums any more. I think it is time we were looking up the poor about us. There may be fellow-beings suffering in our midst without a murmur; people whose pride forbids them to a openal to whose pride forbids them to appeal to public charity. I think we should be doing more nobly if we devoted our time to looking up such cases, instead of con-

tributing to the support of distant insti-tutions, of which we know nothing."
"Oh, madam! If others were only of your thinking!" interrupted the visitor

impetuously.

"What then? I fear you would not succeed so well in your missions."

Mrs. Belden leaned forward as she spoke, and gazed curiously upward into the countenance beneath the peaked white bonnet. The momentary flutter and crimson wave which had transformed

her caller's calm face passed away, leav-ing it cold and still in its purity. "One must rejoice at any lessening of the great sum of human misery," was the

quiet response.

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The anchoress turned to go. She had not only failed in her errand, but had met with a decided rebuff; yet at the door she paused a moment, and held out a shapely white hand, which met the other's in a sympathetic grasp.

The doctor's wife stood at the window with mingled curiosity and interest, and watched her visitor depart. To her surprise, the latter did not continue up the street, but retraced her steps along the lonely path leading in the direction of the station-house. Was she then only stopping off between trains, and had she squandered the few minutes she had in which to "do" the little New-Mexican town? or had she grown hopeless of success after her first fruttless effort? The picture of the strange woman lingered some path leading in the direction of the sistent-bounds. Was she then of the sistent-bound with the sistent-bound and the sistent-bound of the sistent-boun

"How he must have suffered!"
"He never seemed to think of himself at all. Was possessed with a fear that the fireman might be blamed. Beautiful little fellow in spite of his shauby clothes. Broad white forehead, curling brown hair, and thoughtful gray eyes. Do you know I can't get rid of a certain fance that I've seen the child before."
"Probably on the street," suggested Mrs. Belden.
"No, no. Years ago; when I was a boy, or in some other existence."
"Where do they live?"
"I declare, Bessie, I never suspected there was such destitution in this place. You remember those wretched dug-outs on the other side of the railroad? Nothing to screen the entrance but a piece of worn-out tent-cloth. We had to perform the operation by the light of a coal-oil lamp. She held it."
"The mother?"
"Yes; and never flinched. Shielded it with her hand to keep the rain from putting out the light. In all my professional experience I never saw such self-command."
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"I don't know, my dear; I don't know, When we got through I wondered that she did not move or stir. I looked at her, and her eyes were upon the face of the unconscious child. I had to unclasp her hands from the lamp. Her fingers were cold and clammy; she was like a person in a cataleptic trance. I thought she was going to fall to the ground. But, instead—what?"

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"Instead, she insisted upon staying there alone to-night. Would not listen to our offer of watchers. Seemed in a hurry to get us off."
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"But how can the child recover in such a place? It is criminal to leave him there."

"The sitizens of Palmea may be a trifle uncivilized, my dear, but they are not wanting in the common attributes of humanity. The boys have been busy this evening. They have rented that little house Brown's family vacated lass week, and a couple of hundred dollars will be placed in the bank to-morrow to the little boy's credit."

But the citizens of Palmea found that they had a difficult case with which to deal; face to face with the exigencies of her situation, the mother consented to move to the house made ready for her, but she drew sparingly upon the funds placed to her credit, and took a careful inventory of everything the house contained, with a view to paying for everything as soon as she should be able. In a inconceivably short time, thanks to the reactive powers of healthy childhood, and the pure air of the clevated southern plateau, the child was able to be about the house, blithen as a little maimed bird, on his single leg and crutch. The scant sewing that the mother could procure was ill-paid, and inadequate for her needs, and she quietly opened another industry. She made the fact known that she was ready to wash the soiled linen of the town. Hop Wing, who had hitherto monopolized this industry, at prices so extravagant that he was fast rising to a position of affluence, viewed this encroachment upon his peculiar province with unfeigned alarm. He lowered his scale of prices and starched the bosoms of Palmea's shirts until it became necessary to use a gimlet for the msertion of shirt-studs, but in vain. A generous tide of patronage flowed in upon his competitor.

The doctor and his wife sometimes discussed the anomalous character of the woman with whom fate had brought them in contact.

"I can't quite make her out," the doctor once remarked; "to look at her one would think her incapable of feeling—that she had scarcely a human instinct. She is developing into the hardest business woman I ever saw. Yet I am inclined to

most nothing. She was a proud, spirited woman. She tired of the struggle and went back to her friends. I had hoped she might hold out on account of the

"The boy? Then you had a child?" Grosvenor assented with a mute ges-

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"Ruth Stanhope," repeated the doctor's wife, slowly, looking steadily at her hsuband, who sent her back a significant glanee; and the boy—how old would your little son be now, Mr. Grosvenor?"

"A little more than seven years."

"Robert, I have an errand that must be attended to at once. You and Mr. Grosvenor will excuse me. I will not be long."

long."
Mrs. Belden had snatched up a broad-Mrs. Belden had snatched up a broadbrimmed hat and was tying it under her chit as she spoke, her eyes kindled with excitement, her cheeks lit with a sudden flame. Jack Grosvenor, aroused from his apathy, looked curiously after her as she sped down the street, her head in a whirl. As she flew along the sidewalls, she tried to balance and arrange the queer facts and stranger memories that were flitting through her brain. She remembered something of the splendor of Jack Grosvenor's wedding, and the contrast it had presented to their own modest nuptials. She recalled an account she had read of the marriage banquet and the list of notable guests who were in attendance. She saw in anticipation the bare room she was about to enter, with its beggarly strip of rag carpeting along the centre, the pine bedstead with its worn coverlet, the wooden chairs, and the woman bent over her ironing-boards, contrasting it with the abounding comforts and generous hospitality of that Southern home.

A high wind was blowing, and clouds of dust darkened the air abouther. Battling with a minature sirocco, she yet found time to marvel at the strength of character that had enabled the petted Southern girl, born and cradled in the lap of luxury, deliberately to renounce the life of ease open to her, and condemn herself and her child to the life of toil and hardship that had resulted so disastrously. The gentle woman's heart filled with love and sympathy, and she was ready to take Jack's Grosvenor's wife into her arms and cry over her sorrows and humiliations.

Her heart was childed at the sight of the cold, proud face, whose severity was increased by the piece of stiff white muslin bound about the head as a protection from the smoke and coal-dust of the ironing-stove. Mrs. Belden looked in momentary abhorence at the mass of lace and embroidery lying upon the ironing-board, guessing only too well the owners of the tawdry splendor.

"What! do you work for them?"

For a moment the woman gazed calmly upon her questioner, then turned with an exp

BOOKS AND MAGAZINES

The Forum for March

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In the Forum for March, which begins the seventy volume, several subjects are discussed of large political and commercial importance. Prof. J. G. Schurman, of Cornell University, who is a Canadian by birth, describes the resources of the Canadian half of the continent, and predicts that the Canadians will never favor annexation, because they do not need to burden themselves with the problems of the United States, of the South in particular. Mr. Isaac L. Rice points out as the primary cause of railway demoralization the habit of borrowing and buying proxies. Dr. Leonard Woolsey Bacon makes an argument for the extension of the delivery of letters by carriers to persons in the country as well as to those in cities; and this he calls the next postal reform. A contribution to the discussion of the Negro question is made by a Negro writer, Prof. W. S. Scarborough, of Wilberforce University, who takes a hopeful view of the future of his race. Mr. Edward Atkinson makes a test of several reformatory theories, by applying them to a small community, where the practical workings of each theory may be measured. Among the religious and educational discussions is an unfavorable review of our public-school system by Cardinal Manning. He sees the destruction of religion and morality in any system of compulsory State education, and a severe loss of morality in any system of public instruction. Kate Stephens writes a record of the advancement of education of women during the last fifty years. Prof. St. George Mivart, one of the earliest critics of Darwin, for whom Darwin had great respect, indicates the scientific fallacy in the Darwinian doctrine, and points out how some of the most distinguished evolutionists have receded from their original position. Andrew Lang writes of "Reviewers and Their Ways," and Prof. Charles E. Norton, of Harvard, gives a definition of the fine arts and points out they some of the hinderances of art in the United States,—[The Forum Publishing Co., 253 Fifth Ave., New York.

The Atlantic.

A good deal of variety characterize A good deal of variety characterizes the contents of the March Atlantic. History is possibly the strong point of the number, there being a paper on those two brave Scots, "The Keiths," by Hope Notnor, and one of Mr. Fiske's luminous papers upon "Ticonderega, Bennington, and Oriskany," Mr. Frank Gaylord Cook writes an interesting article upon "Some Colonial Lawyers and their Work," while a theme of a more recent day is admirably treated-in-"Personal Reminiscences of Wm. H. Seward', by Samuel J. Barrows, and his wife, Isabel C. Barrows, The paper is especially interesting since Mr. Barrows was private secretary to Mr. Seward, and Mrs. Barrows also acted temporarily in the same capacity. In this connection Stuart F. Weid's judicious consideration of "The Isthmus Canal and our Government's should be mentioned, nor should an able review of Professor Bryce's book on "The American Commonwealth" be overlooked. Mr. James's serial, "The Tragic Muse," abounds in acute studies of personality, and Mr. Hardy's "Passe Rose" is as absorbingly interesting as ever. The first part of a negro story called "Hannah Calline's Jim," and an essay on "Simplicity," by Charles Dudley Warner, close the prose articles, and the peotry includes Mr. Whittier's, "The Christmas of 1888," and verses by E. Wiison.—[Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston. the contents of the March Atlantic.

Scribner's.

Scribner's Magazine for March contains articles on a great variety of subjects, from the practical questions of the Railway Mail Service to the subtilities of Economy in Mental Work, with an abundance of good fiction and papers on topics of contemporary interest—several of them richly illustrated in a manner sustaining the reputation made by this Magazine for strong and original art work.

Magazine for strong and original art work.

Thomas L. James, Postmaster-General in Garfield's cabinet, and now President of the Lincoln National Bank, New York, writes of the "Railway Mail Service" with sympathy and appreciation of the faithful work done, and from the full knowledge given him by his long practical experience in positions of authority. This paper contains a concise history of the evolution of mail carrying, and a graphic account of work done on the most important mail trains in the country, with a tribute to the skill and dexterity of the corps of trained mail clerks. At the incoming of a new Administration, General James pleads for a thorough application of civil-service reform to the whole Railway Mail Service. The elaborate illustrations are by Herbert Denman, who was afforded special opportunities to sketch the picturesque features of the Fast Mail.

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"Yale must be a dreadful place, Mr. Freshman." "Why so, Miss Packerhouse." "I read so many things about your college rows." "Rows? Ah, yes; I see. They are very peaceable affairs, Miss Packerhouse. They are ordinarily conducted with boats and oars, and we row them on the river."—[Chicago Herald.

Found Dead.

Last evening a person giving the name of G. R. Thompson registered at Hunt's Hotel, and desired to be called in season to take the 12 p. m. train for Chicago. Being unable to awaken him, the room was entered by means of the ventilator over the door, when the gentleman was found to be dead. He was advertising agent for Sulphur Bitters, which has an extensive sale. The coroner returned a verdiet of death from heart disease. His body will be sent east immediately.—[Cin. Commercial.

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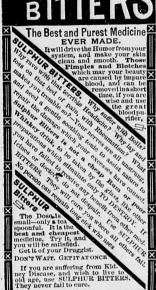
The Care and Anxiety which Her Mother Felt and How Near it came to a Sad Ending.

The daughter of one of the leading lawyers of

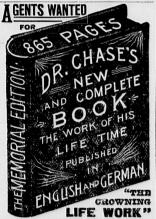
The daughter of one of the leading lawyers of Boston a young ladyof fourteen, began last summer, to complain of weaknessand weariness. Her parents did not think it necessary to consult a physician, and so day after day passed, and she grew paler and weaker. "Like a worm in the bud," something seemed to be consuming her life. Her mother sought the cause. It was not heart trouble; it seemed to be some mysterious malady, weaker and weaker she grew until a doctor was called, but he either did not understand her casse or could not reach it.

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One evening the mother in reading the paper,
saw an account of a young lady who had
suffered just as her own daughter was suffering,
and had been restored to health. More in despair
than hope, the mother tried the same means,
then her vigor, and then her happiness.
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of the family being withheld, owing to its prominence. The way by which the young lady's
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· CONCERNING WOMEN.

What They are Doing for City Children

That the elevation of the moral and inthe elevation of the mora and it-tellectual status of society must be in-fluenced to a great degree by efforts among the children is practically illus-trated from time to time. The "Women's conference" of the city of New York held a meeting a few days since to discuss the subject of a "Tenement-house children's Sundav." The idea is to provide some place where the children who do not go to Sunday-school or to places of amusement may be entertained and instructed for a few hours every Sunday. To ac-complish this it is proposed to make use

for a few hours every Sunday. To accomplish this it is proposed to make use of the public school-buses in the vicinity for several hours each Sunday. The teachers will be volunteers from the conference and everything will be conducted on a non-sectarian basis. This conference of women have been associated together for four years, and with the experience gained during that time will without doubt carry through the scheme they propose.

Another bit of practical work was recently taken up in Chicago. The women of All Soul's church have arranged a series of lectures for school children, to be given every Friday afternoon, and an invitation is extended to all. These lectures are historical, and it is intended that they shall either directly or indirectly have a bearing on studies pursued in school. Two lectures have been given; the first on "The great men of Illinois" and the second on "Slavery in the Northwest, the underground railroad and fugitive slave laws." The next will be about the Black Hawk war. A Chicago paper in its report of the second lecture says: "About 4 o'clock the lads and lasses with eyes sparkling and cheeks radiant with a bloom that a society belle would give the world to possess, came bounding into the hall, and soon there was not a vacant seat left." The young audience paid strict attention as the speaker graphically outlived the question of slavery; its spread in early days; its great importance in the '50's; the fugitive slavelaws; and other points involved in the great issue. Children have a natural taste for history and we defraud them of an important means for development while we do not give them opportunity for improving and expanding this desires.

It was noticed in this year's Salon that

A Fushion.

It was noticed in this year's Salon that nearly all the French painters—and they are said to exercise a very pronounced influence upon the fashions of Paris—reveled in red-haired women. We are now informed that red-haired women will be the fashion, and, as "Once a Week" puts it, "Exactly how far women will push the craze, only the wisest prophets can foresee; but it is significant that the French and English papers are teeming with advertisements of patent lotions which are guaranteed to turn the hair a beautiful red."

Good Manners,

Good Manners

If a mother does not lay aside her courtesy with her company dress, if a father is as refined in speech when the door closes after the guest as he was when they conversed together, the child

door closes after the guest as he was when they conversed together, the child will learn to be habitually polite and modest. For good manners are better taught by example than by precept.— [Western Society.

Fine manners no code can teach. If they are conscious they become artificial, and are fine no longer. A man indeed may be taught to avoid grossness and imprudence, and not mistake them for ease. The youth who puffs a cigaret when he is walking with a lady, who is free and easy instead of scrupulously courteous in his address and tone, may be told that he is merely ungentlemanly and vulgar; and if he choose he may correct his behavior; certainly he would correct it if the lady showed him that she required the correction. The impudence of young men generally reflects the weakness of young women.—[Geo. William Curtis.

Defect in manners is usually the defect of fine perceptions, and these we cultivate in the home circle. Rudeness to those with whom we associate daily blunts the sensibilities, until, when we decide that it will "pay" to be agreeable, we have lost the power to perceive fine and delicate shades of feeling that would enable us to avoid offense and prompt us to give pleasure.—[Western Society.

BOSTON THEATRES.

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On March 4, The charming opera, "Ermine" will be presented for one week. It is considered by many of the ablest critics, the most exquisite opera of the day. Sale of seats now going on. PARK THEATRE.

The announcement of Col. McCaull's Opera Company at the Park this week, playing "Boccaccio," seems to have struck the key note all over Boston and vicinity. The Col. has made the greatest effort of his life in selecting and bringing together his present company, and he justly deserves the many compliments that are being paid him. Next week he that are being paid him. Next week he will produce "Faulka," an opera equally interesting.

BOSTON MUSEUM.

From present indications it is somewhat doubtful if all can be accommodated who may wish to attend the grand testimonial to be tendered Manager R. M. Field this evening (March 1.) Still, two more opportunities will be given for witnessing Mr. Wallack's "Rosedale"—te-morrow atternoon and evening. Possibly the play may be continued during next week.

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List of New Books.

Baylor, F. C. A. Shocking Example and Other Sketches
Bazan, E. P. Los Pozos de Ulloa. Blackie, J. S. Scottish Song, its Wealth, Wisdom and Social Significance.

Blades, W. The enemies of Books, Contents—Fire; Water, Gas and Heat; Dust and Neglect; Ignorance and Bigotry; The Bookworm; Other Vermin; Bookbinders; Collectors; Servants and Children; Postscriptum; Conclusion.

Bolton, H. C. The Counting out Rhymes of Children; their Antiquity, Origin and Wide Distribution; a study in Folk Lore.

But, S. S. Exploration of the Chestin Health and Disease.
Cocker, W. J. The Government of the United States.

In this text-book the author has aimed to present the Influences and conditions that rendered our Constitution a necessity, and to describe the powers and limitations of our form of government.

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Dodge, T A Great Captains,
A course of Six Lowell Institute lectures, delivered in January, 1889. They aim to show the influence on the art of war of the campaigns of Alexander, Hannibal, Cæsar, Gustavus Adolphus, Frederic and Napoleon.

Fabie, J J History of Electric Telegraphy to the Year 1837.

Fenn, G M Bunyip Land; the Story of a Wild Journey in New Guinea.

Fiennes, C Through England on a Side Saddle, in the Time of William and Mary; being the Diary of Celia Fiennes, with Introduction by the Hon Mrs Griffiths.

Ford, P L, ed. Pamphlets on the

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James and James John State Briefles.

Ford, P I., et al. Pamphlets on the Constitution of the United States, published during its Discussion by the People, 1787-88, edited with Notes and a Bibliography.

Graham, Wm. Essays; Historical and Biographical, ed. by his Brother, with Personal Reminiscences by W M Taylor.

James, W Naval History; a Narrative of Naval Battles, Sieges, Expeditions, etc. [1792-1816]; epitomized in one volume by R O'Byrne.

Jefferies, R Field and Hedgerow; being the Last Essays of Richard Jefferies.

Kirk, E Information for Authors; Hints and Suggestions concerning all kinds of Literary Chillie, L C The Household of Glen Holly.

MCOsh. J. and others. Problems of American Civilization; their Practical Solution the Pressing Christian Duty of To-Day.

Rendle, W., and Norman, P. The Inns of Old Southwark, and their Associations.

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White, S.J. Housekeepers and Home-makers, a Housekeeper's Man-

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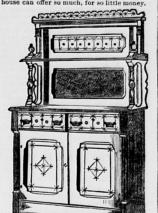
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NEWTON CENTRE.

-Mr. Wells B. Polley is taking a two weeks' vacation in Maine.

-Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clarke of Ridge avenue are in New York for a few days. —Mr. Clark and wife are visiting his sister, Mrs. Lemuel C. Barnes, for a week or two.

-Miss Julia Long of Portland, Me., is visiting her brother, Mr. Zadoe Long of this place.

—Mr. Moses Stevens returns to-day from Baltimore, where he has been for the last week on business.

—Mrs. George Davis and her daughter, Miss Lucy Davis of Pelham street, are in Georgia for a few weeks.

—Mr. Dewey of Concord, N. H., has been visiting for the last week at Mr. Frank Thatcher's on Beacon street.

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—Miss Marcia Sylvester of Warren street has returned to her home from Bath, Me., where she has been visiting friends.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Lizzle Thatcher of Beacon street to Mr. Dewey, the Congregational minister in Concord, N. H.

-The Newton Centre branch of the Wo-men's Auxiliary met on Wednesday after-noon at the house of Mrs. Samuel Baldwin, Knowles street. —The children have begun to rehearse for the party to be given at the close of the dancing school. Some pretty fancy dances by them will be much enjoyed by their friends.

friends.

—Judge Bishop opened court at Pittsfield on Tuesday last, where he will be for three weeks. He will afterwards hold the term at Greenfield, returning to Boston about April 1st.

The Dilettante club met on Monday evening at Mr. Geo. Warren's on Gibbs street. Some very attractive music was sung, under the direction of one of the stu-dents on the Hill.

—We hear that it has been decided to have another performance in April of amo-teur theatricals by the same young people who originated the other. We hope it will be as successful as that of Feb. 7.

—There was a meeting held this morning at 10 o'clock of the Newton Centre Wo-man's club, at the residence of Mrs. John H. Sanborn on Chase street. A paper was read by Mrs. M. P. Kinnard of Brockline, who took for her subject, "Dorothy Dix."

—At the monthly missionary concert in the Methodist church at Newton Centre next Sunday evening, Rev. Wm. Butler, D. D., will speak on the origin and work of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society. Services will commence with a praise meeting at 7 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

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—Abrilliant dancing party was held on
Thursday last in the Chestaut Hill school
house, managed by two of the most prominent members of Chestaut Hill society. Music
was furnished by Wilson's orchestra, and
the hall was beautifully decorated with
flags. Among the prominent people present
were the Misses Quirin. Dupee, MeBurney,
Sears, Wheelwright, Adams, Shattuck,
Richardson, Mills, Miss Blanche Pierce
of Newtonville and others. Among
the gentlemen were Messrs, Lee, Dupee,
Wells, Fiske, Francis, Saltonstall, Slade,
and Lottrop. The matrons were Mrs. W.R.
Dupee and Mrs. J. K. Richardson.

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—The Sporting Life can hardly be considered good authority and it is strange to see a Newton paper quoting from it in regard to a Newton young man. Its story about Harry Bates, reprinted in the Journal last week, had no foundation, and Captain Willard of the Harvard base-ball club pronounces it as utterly false in every particular, and says the books and accounts of the ball club are open to any who are interested enough to examine them, and they will show that Mr. Bates' dealings with the club are all right. Capt. Willard thinks that any paper that publishes such falsehoods ought to be prosecuted, and this is the general sentiment.

—The Watchman contained the follow-

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also guests of the society and sat together. Miss Lizzie Smith was then asked to tell something of her sister's mission work in the Pacific Islands, where she has been since September, 1886. Until lately, Miss Sadie Smith has been carrying on her school work alone there but lately has been partly relieved of her great responsibility by a western lady lately gone out. Her work is among the girls, teaching them to read and write their own language and speak a little English. They are fond of music and learn readily songs of some difficulty, as four part songs used in high schools.

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music and learn readily songs of some difficulty, as four part songs used in high schools.

—Owing to the holiday on Friday no full account could be given in last week's paper of the party given in Associates hall on Thursday evening. It is considered by all the most successful dance given in Newton Centre. About six-five couples were present, and the ladies' gowns were norticularly attractive, entrified and affect that the proper end of table or lace. Also, entrified and affect that the support of table or lace. Also, entrified and affect that the support end of the hall; the aids Mr. Cettler taking all the guests to them the proper end of the hall; the aids Mr. Peters, Mr. May, Mr. Stevens and Mr. Cutler taking all the guests to them the proper end of the program of the hall; the aids Mr. Peters, Mr. May, Mr. Stevens and Mr. Cutler taking all the guests to them the best of the support of the control of the hall; the aids Mr. Peters, Mr. May, Mr. Octobeck the depose were thrown open leading into the small hall, where a substantial supper was served by a Brookline caterer. After this, dancing was continued until 1 octobec, Mr. David B. Harding as floor namager deserves the thanks of all, he having also been largely instrumental in making the arrangements for the evening. Among the outsiders present were the following: from Newton, Miss Grace Jones, Miss Florence Farquiar, Miss Ella Beckett, Mr. Louis Hall, Mr. Edward L. Russell, Mr. Joshna Baker, Mr. A. L. Brackett, Mr. Joshna Baker, Mr. C. F. Rogers, Jr., Mr. E. E. Elms, and Mr. Winthrop Cole; Mr. and Mrs. H. D., Corey of Newton-ville, Miss Annie Plummer of Auburndale, Miss Carrie Foster of Waltham, Miss Lottle Page, Mr. Strart W. Wise, Mr. Kirke Corey, Mr. Clifford Cobb of Brookline, Mr. A. G. Badger, Mr. Frank Badger, Miss Grace Learnard and Grace Launkin of Boston, also Miss Metcal and Mr. Metcal of West Newton and Mr. Simmons of Cambridge.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

-Charley Brigham is better and out

-Miss Fannie Smith is visiting friends in Plainfield, Mass.

Miss Carrie Putney, from Smith college, was at home to spend Sunday.
 Mr. F. N. Woodward after quite a severe illness of two weeks is out again.

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—Deacon Whiting has improved so much that he hopes to be present at the communion services next Sunday afternoon.

—Mr. Charles H. Hale, who lately purchased the G. R. Collins estate at Waban, removed there on Washington's birthday.

—Mr. Spear, the stable keeper, on going to his stable one morning last week, found one of his most valuable horses dead in the stall.

—Mr. J. M. Watson has bought the Fuller lot of land on Chester street, on the opposite side of the street of the estate owned by him.

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—Mrs. Burr received the Monday club
this week. The next meeting will be with
Mrs. Putney. Rev. Mr. Smith of Auburndale will read a paper on "Tolstoi." —The net proceeds from the "Art Loan Exhibition," held at the Congregational chapel on Wednesday of last week, in aid of building a school-house in Utah, were \$40.

—We hear that Mr. C. F. Johnson has purchased the "Skinner" estate on Lake avenue, and that he will soon occupy the same, and that his present residence is for sale.

—The Chautauqua club met this week with Mrs. Tyler. In addition to the literary treat, the hostess surprised the club by serving cake and coffee. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Whittemore.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ferren of Win-chester street gave an ice-cream party to their neighbors and Boston friends on Washington's birthday, which was a very enjoyable occasion to all that were present.

—Mr. Spear is very busily engaged in re-modelling the building lately purchased by him for a stable, to accommodate his in-creasing business, and it will be severa weeks before he can fully occupy the same

Grate Company," Samuel Shaw, treasurer; the fixtures in solid mahogany, surmounted by railing and panels with figures in baserelief, and a mirror of large size opposite the entrance, with fine large plate glass windows and with the ceiling and wills decorated in a very tasteful manner, makes this one of the most elegantly fitted-up drugshops in the vicinity of Boston. The formal opening took place on Saturday evening last, and many callers wished the proprietor success in his new enterprise.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Mr. L. P. Everett entertained a number of his friends at his home on High street, on Wednesday evening.

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—At the Baptist church next Sunday, morning service and Sunday school as usual. The Lord's Supper at 2.45 p. m.

—The recent cold snap was not wholly mixed with evil as the plumbers in this vicinity at least were kept very busy and in consequence reaped a rich harvest.

—The Quinobequin Association are talking of their annual anniversary celebration. The next anniversary will be the 21st and in view of this fact, a grand good time is anticipated.

—A new barga line has been carefully.

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—A new barge line has been established between our village and Newton Highlands. This is to run to evening and Sunday trains only. It is to be in charge of Mr. George Kerrivan, the proprietor.

The special revival services that have been in progress for the last 4 weeks have been continued during the week at the Methodist church. There is always a good audience and much interest in the work has been manifested.

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—The union revival services now being held in this village will continue another week. Their influence seems to be increasing. The meetings will be held next week in the Baptist church. Sunday, at 3,30 p.m. there will be a testimony meeting, at 6 p. m. a prayer meeting, at 6.30 p. m. preaching by Brother Frank F. Davdson.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—Work on the outside stone piers of the bridge is expected to be finished this week.

—Three candidates for a position on the police force from this place took the civil service examination on Tuesday.

—Miss Kate Dolan has returned from a visit to Philadelphia, during which she has enjoyed the pleasure of a trip to Washington.

ton.

—The funeral of Mr. Isaae Hagar at St.
Mary's church on Sunday was attenned by
a very large congregation, the largest in attendance at a funeral in this place since
that of Hon. Thomas Rice.

—Mr. Edward Nash visited his old home here last week. The cordial greetings which he received from all his old friends were saddened by thoughts of the bereave-ment which was the occasion of his visit.

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—The Methodist church in this village is having a very successful revival under its pastor, Rev. A. P. Sharp. There have been twenty conversions during a month's extra meetings. A Young People's Christian League has just been organized with fifty members, of which Mr. Charles Harrington has been elected president. The benevolent collections, all taken have been full; the debts are all paid, and the spiritual state of the church is excellent.

NONANTUM.

-The electric light on the bridge failed to illuminate last Saturday night.

—Skating has been immensely enjoyed on the Silver Lake during the cold snap of the past week.

-The young ladies of the North church will hold an entertainment Friday evening next, March 8th.

March 8th.

—Mr. N. C. Carter who has lived upon the Allison farm for three years, is giving it up and going to the Farwell farm at Waltham.

—The Young People's meetings at the North urch will be resumed next Sunday evening, se Sabbath school will be at three o'clock as

Mr. Arthur R. Coe, Supt. of the N. E. Sab-bath school leaves for Europe on Saturday moveling for a two month's visit. Mrs. Lamb will fill his place in the school in his absence.

—The members of Victoria Lodge Sons of St. George will attend the North church next Sabbath at the morning service when Rev. Mr. Lamb will preach on Christian Manliness

—Victoria Lodge Sons of St. George hold their second anniversary in Wiltham to-night, (Friday). A special train will leave Waitham at 1.20 for Bemis to bring home members and friends to this village.

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—The North Evangelical church was reopened last Sabbath afternoon. Rev. Pleasant Hunter lavoked divine blessing after which the pastor read a selection of Scripture suitable to the occasion. Rev. Walcott Calkins preached a sermon from the words "As was his custom he went into the synagogue on the Sabbath day," impressing upon the audience the idea and necessity of forming church going habits, A collection was taken at the close and the sum of \$55 realized. The church choir was reinforced for the occasion and did good service. The church is much improved.

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—The young ladies will give an entertainment at the North Evangelical church Friday evening, Mar. 8, at 7.45. The following artists will be present: Reader, Miss Mary A. Blood of Monroe College. Boston; soprano, Miss Hettle Spooner, of Natick; planist, Miss Mabel Clark of London. A drill will be given by some of the young misses, representing the New England States. Admission, adults 25 cents, children 15 cents. Ice cream and cake, home-made confectionery, button hole bouquets, etc., will be for sale in the vestry at the close of the entertainment. The proceeds are to go towards paying for the repairs lately made on the church.

Disease in School Books.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC:

"O wad some power of giftie gie us.
To see oursels as ithers see us!"

To see oursels as ithers see us."
We should doubtless be as surprised as was S. P. K. when through the kindness of a friend, "What our School Teachers Know," was perused.

I never read the Journal since it is my principle always to get the best, and I only yesterday therefore, saw this most extraordinary production, to which to gratify my friends, I have consented to reply. How my letter could have been tortured and twisted into meaning what "two stars" attributes to it is utterly incomprehensible, tributes to it is utterly incomprehensible, unless I have unwittingly pierced the weak joints in the armor of some person inter-

unless I have unwittingly pierced the weak joints in the armor of some person interested in continuing what I still unhesitatingly assert to be a most undesirable and harmful practice.

Let me tell a story: A. and B. had a discussion in the presence of C., who was a deaf mute. Later C. met D. and communicated to him; "A. and B. have had a quarrel and B. was entirely in the wrong," "Why," inquired D. in great surprise, "could you understand what they said?" "Not a word," replied C., "but B. lost his temper." Now, passing by the charge of "an unusual amount of ignorance," as I only aspire to be considered as having a modicum of common sense, I would really like to know how, or against whom, I graifly "a combatative spite." or in what wise my letter showed itself a "gossippy system of propelling cars by electricity. I. F. Kingsbury, City Clerk.

and dyspeptic effusion." In other words I would like to have any fair minded and unprejudiced person read S. P. K's letter on "Disease in School Books" side by side with the one now under discussion and decide which for the two is manifestly undignified and ill-tempered.

"Two Stars" says, "Guld S. P. K. have his way the Free Text Book System now in see in Massachusetts and other states would also be dispensed with." have seek and the states would also be dispensed with. "Any seek and the states would also be dispensed with." have seek and the states would also be dispensed with." have seek and the states would also be dispensed with. "Any seek and also he dispensed with." have seek and the states would also be dispensed with. "Any seek and also have seek and the seek and th

conviction to the heart of any parent I am sure.

Last week's Graphic says, "There have been only two cases of diphtheria among the 600 pupils in the Bigelow and Underwood schools," both I am told were pupils of the former. In this school I know for a fact that books are given out to be used at home. Is there, perchance, a city book in either or both of these homes? If so, what is to be done about It? You fathers and mothers of Newton, would you like to have such a book pass next year into the hands of your darlings, even though it had been thoroughly funnigated? These are extreme and unusual cases, but there lurks a danger in many a book which none suspects, and even "Two Stars" does not attempt to deny my statement that a book may be given to some neat dainty girl which has been previously in the hands of some rough dirty boy.

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S. P. K. is now expected to wiit, such will
not be the case. I am obliged for the information as to Newton teachers; even
from my "station at a distance," I have
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met some of them, and I am still of the opinion that in the main, they are a very worthy set of people, and in their interest as well as in that of parents and children, I spoke.

Still, we all can't be Newton teachers, and, judging from a few points in the letter we are considering. I feel quite sure S. P. K. has the company of "Two Stars" as consolation under this affliction! If, as is claimed, the city is "saving in the purchase of books and supplies more every year than the salary of the superintendent by his extensive experience in this department." This is rather an ambiguous statement as arranged and punctuated, but I presume some Newton teacher may be able to understand it! Would it not be a good plan for the money thus saved to be used to increase the sthends of the female teachers? For, only this fall, the local papers announced the fact that a promising teacher had been offered a position in Newton, but that the school committee of Watertown, where she was employed, had promptly raised her salary to Séou. Imagine the unparalled audacity of Watertown in holding a teacher who was wanted in Newton! In all serlonsenses, I am not a the unparalled audacity of Watertown in holding a teacher who was wanted in Newton! In all serlonsenses, I am not convinced that if the state of our school property, the apparatus and books provided, ed. etc., were honestly compared with those of some neighboring oities, we should find our boasted pre-eminence somewhat of a chimera. Perhaps this may arise from a false cry of economy, by which school officials are hampered; of that I've no means of judging, but let us interest ourselves, and see if what needs remedying cannot be bettered. One step towards this I've already suggested—vist the schools, and see what you can do to help on the cause. Visitors, I know from experience, are always courteously welcomed. Then show your colors, you who agree with me, and whose sentiments I do but voice. I have no desire save for the good four children. I do not aspire to a position on the

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Cob, late of Newton, in said County, deceased, Cob, late of Newton, in said County, deceased, whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testment of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Ellen M. Cobb, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to let the executrix therein assured to result of the executrix therein assured to result of the execution of the

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NEWTON.

—Harper's and Demorest's new Spring patterns now ready at the Newton Bazar. -Mr. W. B. Beal lost a valuable grey horse Wednesday morning from pneumonia.

-The Newton Co-operative Bank will have a public meeting at City hall, March 12.

—Mr. Winthrop M. Burr has joined the brokerage house of Putnam, Messervy & Co., of Boston.

—Mr. Robinson and family who have been at Hotel Hunnewell for the past year have returned to Boston.

—Officer Henthorne recovered this week a blanket valued at \$6 and stolen from Al-derman John C. Kennedy. —Dr. E. B. Hitchcock is much better this week, and as soon as he is able to travel, he will go South for a few weeks.

-"The Measure of a Man" will be Rev. F. Nichols' subject at the MethodistChurch next Sunday evening. Service begins at

—Mr. Charles F. Rand has made a marked improvement in health, the past week, and is now able to sit up a short time during the day.

- Miss Currier, professor of elocution at Wellesley College, left on Thursday for an extended visit to California and the Pacific const. —Mr. Seymour Eaton of Newtonville avenue has purchased Miss Martha Hitch-cock's house on Hollis street, for his own residence.

—Rev. Mr. Hornbrooke was one of the speakers at the opening of the Unitarian parish building in Watertown, Wednesday evening.

The Newton Laundry has removed its quarters from Thornton street to Bemis station, but teams will call for and deliver goods as formerly.

—It is a great satisfaction to get good butter, and every one who tries the Turner Centre creamery, sold by G. P. Atkins, wants more of it.

—Mrs. tW. C. Overman has gone to her home in Florida for the month of March, and Mr. Overman will board with his mother until her return.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Farquhar and Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Nye of Anburndale attended the annual ladies' night of the Middlesex club at Young's hotel Tuesday evening.

—The New England Commercial Review, printed at Boston, has an illustrated article in the last number, descriptive of the Sil-ver Lake Cordage company, and the goods it manufactures.

-Mr. Arthur W. Thayer of Boston has taken charge of the choir of the Eliot church during the coming year, and Mr. J. Wallace Goodrich will fill the position of organist, beginning the first Sunday in April.

—Rev. Dr. Shinn was one of the committee appointed to welcome Bishop Paddock home from his visit to Europe, and there was a large attendance of clergymen from this dlocese at the services in St. Paul's church, Boston, on Tuesday.

—Rev. Dr. Haynes, the brilliant pastor of Tremont Temple, will speak in Newton, Monday, March 11, on the Prohibitory Amendment. The meeting will be held in the new hall, Bacon's block, opposite the bank, at 7.30 p. m.

—Owing to the death of Hon. Sidney Bartlett, whose funeral occurred to-day, Hon. John C. Park who was admitted to practice in Boston in 1827, becomes the sen-ior member of the Suffolk bar. He attend-ed Mr. Bartlett's funeral to-day.

—Miss Beecher will give her third series of lectures and conversations at the residence of Dr. Browne, 131 Sargent street, on the remaining Mondays in March. Subject for the 11th and 18th, "Evolution;" for the 25th, "The relation of women to the State." —The last entertainment of the Channing Literary will be given Thursday the 14th, and promises to be very fine, being entirely dramatic. The most prominent attractions will consist of a scene from "The Hunchback" and "Morton's "Lend Me Five Shillings."

—The annual meeting of the BostonAux-iliary of the McAll Association will be held in the chapel of the First Baptist church, corner of Commonwealth avenue and Clar-endon street, on Wednesday evening March 13, at 3 p.m. Rev. Mr. Moxom will preside and address the meeting. Other addresses may be expected.

—At a meeting of the vestry of Grace church, held on the evening of March 2nd, a formal invitation was extended to the Chas. Ward Post, to other veterans of the war, and to the Claffin Guards and other nilitary organizations to attend divine service on the night of the Sunday before Memorial Day.

—Botal Humpers March

Memorial Day.

—Hotel Hunnewell has been greatly improved during the past year, having had a number of rooms added and the house entirely relitted. The table could not be improved upon, as those who have been Mr. Harwood's guests know. There are now a few vacant rooms, which can be secured by an early application.

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—Many Watertown Republicans celebrated the return of their party to power by a supper at the Town hall Monday evening.

S. S. Gleason presided. Addresses were made by local speakers as follows: W. H. Ingraham, who voted for the first President Harrison: Rev. C. L. Woodworth, Whittemore Rowell, H. M. Sweet, Francis Kendall, Rev. W. G. Richardson and Joshua Coolidge. A permanent organization of a Republican club was made by the two hundred present.

present.

—The annual meeting of the Parish Guild of Grace church was held on the evening of March 1st. Reports were read from the different chapters, showing that a large amount of work had been done during the past year. The following offects were elected: President, Mr. Geo. A. Flint: vice president, Mr. W. P. Wentworth; secretary and treasurer, Mr. Welles E. Holmes. The annual service will take place on the night of March 31st, when it is expected the Rev. W. B. Frisby will preach the sermon.

sermon.

—The tenth annual session of the Suffolk Women's board of Missions was held at Immanuel church, Roxbury, Tuesday. The report of the year was read by the recording secretary, Mrs. J. Sturgis Potter. At the election of officers, Mrs. F. Clark of Auburndale was chosen one of the vice-presidents; Miss May P. Jones, home secretary; Mrs. Charles E. Billings, one of the foreign secretaries; Mrs. Theo. J. Holmes of Newton Centre, recording secretary, and Mrs. J. Sturgis Potter, one of the board of managers.

managers.

—Another election for the second lieutenancy of Co. C, 5th Regt., M. V. M., will be necessary as Corp. A. D. Williams failed to pass the examination before the military board. It is understood that Sergt. Cordingley will be a candidate and that he will receive unanimous support. Col. Banceroft did not favor Williams for the position on account of his age and for other reasons and that it would have been a difficult matter for him to have passed an examination under the circumstances. There is more or less friction at present in the company owing to an objectionable element in the membership and as the lamented Daggett said, there is an opportunity for improvement. Changes will be made

and there can be little doubt that the company will receive an impetus of new blood under the regime of its present commander who recognizes the importance of this step in order to attain a higher standard of military excellence and character of membership.

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—It has been decided by the festival committee to hold the next festival of the Parish Choir in Grace church on the 21st of May. There will be about two hundred vested choristers and probably one hundred clergymen. It is likely to be one of the greatest occasions of the kind ever held in this state. The music is very beautiful and the choirs have had it in preparation for some time already. The festival will include a Morning Service at 11 a. m., and an Evening Service at 1 p. m. Admission will be byticket, and the capacity of the building will be tested to the utmost. The choirs taking part will be from Boston, Lynn, Worcester, Longwood, Newton Highlands, Nashua, N. H., and other places.
—Mrs. Elijah Clark died at her residence

Nashua, N. H., and other places.

—Mrs. Elijah Clark died at her residence on Franklin street, Tuesday morning, after a long and painful illness. She leaves three children, Mrs. Walter White, with whom she has made her home for many years, Mr. Henry C. Weston of Boston, and Mr. Edward Clark, the ouly son by the second marriage. Mrs. Clark was a native of Newton and had made many warm friends during her residence here, who will learn of her death with sorrow. The funeral services were held this morning, and were conducted by Rev. Mr. Hornbrooke, the decensed having been a member of Channing church. The interment was in the family lot in Evergreen Cemetery, Brighton.

Cooperative Bank Meeting, at City Hall, Tuesday Evening, March 12th.

Recognition Services

The new pastor of the Newton Baptist thurch was "recognized" by appropriate services on Tuesday evening. interfered somewhat with the attendance but a large number were present. The pulpit platform was very handsomely decorated with flowering and foliage plants from Mr. Johnson's conservatory, and the pastor, Rev. J. P. McCullough occupied a seat on the platform, together with Rev. Dr. Calkins of the Eliot church, Rev. Fayette Nichols of the with Rev. Dr. Calkins of the Eliot church, Rev. Fayette Nichols of the Methodist church, Rev. L. C. Barnes of church, Rev. Fayette Nichols of the Methodist church, Rev. L. C. Barnes of the Baptist church at Newton Centre and Rev. H. F. Titus, while Rev. Dr. A. J. Gordon, Prof. J. M. English and Prof. J. B. Thomas occupied seats in front. The invocation was by Rev. H. F. Titus, followed by the hymn, "Ye Servants of God, your Master proclaim;" Rev. Fayette Nichols read the Scripture lesson, Rev. L. C. Barnes offered the prayer of recognition, a selected quartet rendered the anthem, "How beautiful upon the mountain," and Rev. Wolcott Calkins gave the welcome from the ministry of Newton, in which he referred to the fact of Eliot church being such a close neighbor of the Baptist church, that very cordual relations should exist between them. Eliot church, as the first church in this section, felt a motherly interest in all the others and he was very gald to welcome another pastor to Newton, and to the great field of work that was open here. Dr. Calkins' address was a very cordial one, and in it he alluded to the fact that about ten years ago he extended a similar welcome to Rev. Mr. Titus.

Prof. J. M. English welcomed Mr. McCullough in behalf of the denomination in Newton and in this section, after which a hymn of welcome was sung and Rev. A. J. Gordon delivered an address upon the value of personal work at all times, "in season and out of season," which he interpreted to mean that all times, "in season and out of season," which he interpreted to mean that all times were fitted for work. In his address he alluded to the death of his mother, from whose funeral he had just come, and said that as a mother found her parish in her family, so a minister should find his family in the church.

The charge to the people was given by Prof. J. B. Thomas, who said that having preached in the church many times and attended many of their meetings, he knew how admirably they fulfilled their duties, and urged them to persevere and to assure their pastor of their interest in him, and help him to carry the news of the good tidings he had for the Baptist church at Newton Centre and

O Lord, our Shepherd and our Guide We bless Thee for Thy watchful care; That when to Thee Thy people cried. Thy love was quick to answer prayer.

How often in this hallowed place.

Thy flock bereaved, with Thee did'st plead
That hitherward might turn the face
Of him who should Thy people lead.

With care we sought, with prayer we plan And often thought we saw some sign Of Thine appointing, then Thy hand Was hidden by Thy wise design.

How blest are they who wait on Thee: Thy servant comes in Thine own hour And now, O Lord, why tarry we? But for Thy Presence and Thy power.

The House refused to set off Morse

field to Newton by a vote of 51 to 85 at Thursday's session. When the adverse report was reached, Mr. Greenwood of Ashland moved to substitute a bill. He said that for a time a majority of the committee were in favor of the sepathat, if it was made, the taxes in the remainder of Watertown would be raised from 75 cents to \$1 on \$1,000. Mr. Gil-man of Newton made the chief speech for the bill, speaking readily at length in for the bill, speaking readily at length in behalf of the people of Watertown and Newton who desire the change. He turned a point neatly on Mr. Smith by recalling the latter's speech against dividing Medford, saying that a river would be a good dividing line, but houses should not be in two towns, as that argument would count for division. He said that the interests of the people in the part in question are wholly with Newton, and justice demands a change.

"What a large and handsome Vice-President you have, Mr. Harrison," said a lady, as Mr. Morton passed by, "Yes," replied Mr. H., with a modest smile; "I have no small vices."—[Wash-ingth.]

DEATH OF GEO. E. F. BAKER.

SKETCH OF A FAITHFUL MEMBER OF THE

George E. F. Baker died at his late residence, Waban street, Newton. Mon-

George E. F. Baker died at his late residence, Waban street, Newton. Monday evening. The deceased was born in Lowell and was aged 45 years, 8 mos., 3 days., and had been a member of the police force since 1878, having been appointed in January of that year. In July following his appointment he was shot while making an arrest, and lost the use of his left eye. His health for the past few years had been failing, and he had been a sufferer from a complication of diseases, resulting in Bright's disease. He was a faithful officer. and a man respected and esteemed. He was a member of Newton lodge, 92, L. O. O. F., and Watertown lodge, Legion of Honor. A widow and two children survive him. Mr. Baker's death recalls the sad accident which he met with 10 years ago.

The deceased was standing on Watertown street with Capt. C. E. Davis, near the Adams schoolhouse, when they heard a heavy team approaching, coming in the direction of Watertown. The occupants of the team were singing and making considerable noise, and Officer Baker started down the street to intercept them. When he reached the team he stepped up to the horse's head and requested the occupants of the wagon to stop. No attention was paid to his demand, and not a word was spoken by the men in the wagon, but hardly had the officer got the words out of his mouth when one of the occupants drew a revolver and fired once, the shot taking effect in the corner of Baker's left eye. When the shot struck him he threw up his hand and tell in the middle of the street. The men then started the horse in horse in the shot was fired, started immediately when he heard the shot and tried to stop the sam, which was rapidly approaching when the men in the wagon fired a shot at Davis. The ball passed through the officer's right sleeve, just grazing the sam. The team was going so fast that he could not stop it, and the occupants paid no attention to his requests but drove toward West Newton. Davis then shouted to Baker, and asked if he was shot. He replied that he was, and when Davi

shot. He replied that he was, and when the shot is reached him he found him staggering and bleeding profusely from the wound.

The assailants were Herbert S. Davis, son of Samuel Davis, and John Cornell of Bigl ton. After the shooting and when the shooting and when the shooting has been stopped and seeing Officer Ryan, young Davis told him that they had been stopped below Newtonville by what they supposed to be highwaynen, who tried to grab his horse by the head, and that he had fired at one of them and supposed he hed killed him as he saw him throw he had a the contract of the shooting and when the had not the least diea that the man shot was officer Baker. Davis said that went back to the scene of the shooting, where they discovered that the man shot was officer Baker. Davis said that he had not the least idea that the man shot was officer Baker. Davis said that the had not the least idea that the man shot was officer Baker. Davis said that they were singing as they drove along but did not intend to case a disturbance.

As a result of the shooting, Officer Baker lost in the prime of manhood. For those which undemined his health and carried him away from his family and loved ones in the prime of manhood. For those which undemined his health and carried him away from his family and loved ones in the prime of manhood. For those which undemined his health and carried him away from his family and loved ones in the prime of manhood. For those which when the week of the benefit of his widow and children.

The funeral took place from the North Evangelical church, Nonantum, yesterday at termon. There was a large attendance at the services. Rev. W. A. Land of the grand operation of casting a great value and the services and the words "City of the words" of the police department, and the exercise of the police department, and the exercise of the him that the suppose of the police department, and the condition of the profit of the police department, and the development of the police department, and the development of the

The Newton Co-operative Bank.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC:
Permit me through your columns to

call to the attention of the citizens of ration, but eventually a majority reported against it. Mr. Smith of Leicester, of the majority of the committee, said that the portion of Watertown in question of Shares is now announced. The opporcontains one-ninth of the valuation of the town; that one-half of the people on the territory objected to the change, and chance offered by it to the poor man of his owning his own home, has not been taken advantage of as it should have been here in Newton. Careful investors have taken up all the shares of the bank, and its money has been borrowed by some of our most prosperous citizens, but the people to whom the bank would be of greatest benefit have been slow to avail themselves of its privileges. Loans have been in large sums, and at every meeting some odd hundreds of dollars have been left over which could have been borrowed at a very low rate of interest. This bank is pre-eminently for the benefit of people of small means, is for the purpose of loaning money in such a way that they can easily repay, and is managed by our best and leading citizens, and every borrower and shareholder has an equal profit and an equal vote. There will be a public meeting for the bank at City Hall, March 12, when the whole thing will be explained and the second series opened.

D. his owning his own home, has not been

Newton Natural History Society.

The meeting on last Wednesday even-ing deserves to go on record as the memorable double meeting of March 6, 1889.

Prof. J. K. Richardson of Wellesley Hills first gave the completion of his admirable paper on Asia, one of a series on man's life as influenced by his physical surroundings. Northern Asia, forming what is now known as Siberia, was described as cut off by the Altai mountains from warm southerly winds, but as fully exposed to the fiercest Arctic gales. It is thus - as George Kennan's articles in the "Century" also testify—a vast region of the most violent contrasts between heat, rising to 100 degrees in the shade in summer, and cold which freezes its treeless northern barrens to the depth of 100 feet. In such a region, a highly or-ganized and stable civilization is naturally impossible. Only wandering tribes of pastoral people could inhabit it, until the triumphs of man over nature, through the applications of steam and electricity.

made rapid communication and trans portation possible. Western Asia is comparatively small

and is marked by the fertile central valley of the Euphrates and Tigris, from which the Persian and Arabian plains, and the mountains of Asia Minor could be reached. It is accordingly found that permanent civil government with a progressive civilization, first appeared in this region, as seen in the long-enduring Babylonian and Assyrian empires.

Spiritually, the region was marked by the rise of monotheism, in opposition to the ancestor worship of China, and the gods many and lords many of India. Ancestor worship was described as practically the worship of an existing unalterable state of things; hence, the unprogressive Chinese character. The natural monotheism of Persia, in which light was worshipped, recognized, though in a blind way, the existence of a power outside of and above us, and impartial to all. But it was reserved to Abraham, the Friend of God, for his child-like faith and capacity for divine ideas—marvellously above the life of his time, however below the best standard of to-day—to know the only true and living God.

Finally, western and northwestern Asia, being central to Africa and Europe, there thence flowed westward two civilizing streams; that to southern Europe, containing centralizing elements ending in the civil imperialism of papal supremacy and infallibility in modern Rome; and that to northern Europe containing centralizing of his papal supremacy and infallibility in modern Rome; and that to northern Europe containing dentralized of the protestant reformation.

The second paper by Mr. Otis Pettee on the "Manufacture of Iron," though widely different from the former, was of great increase of value as the result of labor. One pound of pig-iron is worth one cent. One pound of watch hair springs is worth \$250,000. Iron was exhibited and described, as well as the qualities of pig-iron made from them. No metal is so valuable as iron or capable of so great increase of value as the result of labor. One pound of pig-iron is worth one cent. One pound of watch hair springs is worth \$250,000. Iron

regard to my recent missionary work in the city of Duluth.

Your correspondent has, I fear, unwittingly prepared for me a very warm reception upon my next visit to that city, provided his report ever becomes current there.

He makes me say that "the religious element is a heterogeneous one, consisting of iconoclasts, extreme liberals and the indifferent."

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What I did say was that there are some iconoclasts, apparently numerous because of their activity, and also many people who are wholly indifferent to religious matters, but that, over against these, there is a great middle class of men and women, largely in the majority, who hold fast the essential truths of Christianity, who desire to live in the things of the spirit and with competent leadership will cagerly and faithfully do so. I should be very sorry to have the original report stand as my estimate of the religious condition of my Western friends, and accordingly I make this correction for the sake of truth and justice, JULIAN C. JAYNES.

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WEAPING ON THE NEWTON STREET RAIL-WAY PETITION.

The board of aldermen met Monday evening, all the members being present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Business from the common council was disposed of in con-

Alderman Childs presented the petition of adjoining property owners for a fire alarm box and the necessary hydrants. on Crafts street, near the Electric Light

John Stearns and others asked for a gravel sidewalk on Clark street, Ward about 400 feet long.

The Newton Street Railway asked to amend their permission, so as to be allowed to use the Thomson-Houston or

any other overhead system.

J. W. Condrin asked for license to build addition 12 by 14 on Bowers street; Geo. Roffe gave notice of intention to build house 24 by 30 on Jackson street, Ward Six; Joseph Zellar, to build addition to his building on Washington street, Ward Three; Thomas O'Leary to build house 26 by 28 on Boylston street; W. H. Mague to build wagon shed, 12 by 32 on River street; Frank Lucas, to build barn, 25 by 65 on Lucas street; D. Wentworth to build house on Foster Place, Ward Two; The Newton Coal Co. to build sand shed 20 by 30 on Church

for a street lamp at the corner of Centre street and Fairmont avenue.

NEW VOTING PRECINCTS. Alderman Pettee presented the report of the committee on that portion of the mayor's address in regard to the increase of voting precincts in several of the wards. The committee were satisfied that the adoption of the Australian ballot system would require an increase in the number of voting places, in order to give all a chance to vote, and all of the wards but Ward Seven had over 500 voters and so could be legally divided. They recommended that the legislatures be asked to amend the laws, so that wards in cities having less than 500 and over 400 voters might be legally divided. They also reported the lines of division which would be most convenient for the voters and also most equally divide the vote. The votes cast at the last election were as follows: of the committee on that portion of the

were as i	follows:		
Ward.	Vote.	Men.	Women
1	518	507	11
2	737	709	26
2 3	644	578	66
4	582	562	20
5	506	504	2
6	594	571	23
6 7	498	464	34

There were convenient halls in all the divided districts but Ward Two, and the committee recommended that early attention should be given to the law, so as to familiarize the voters with its pro-

Ward One the division is from line Vard Two on Washington street to

In Ward One the division is from line of Ward Two on Washington street to Thornton street, to Watertown line, leaving on north and west of the line 263 voters, on south and east 244 voters.

In Ward Two the division is on the line of Washington street to Lowell street, to Walnut and Watertown street, to Ward Three, leaving north and west of the line 357 voters, and east and south 352.

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In Ward Three divide by Watertown street, Washington street to railroad, leaving 285 on the north side and 290 on the south side.

In Ward Four divide by Washington street to the Circuit road, and railroad to Riverside, leaving 419 on the north and east side and 143 on the south and west. In Ward Five divide by Woodward street, Lincoin street to Eliot station, Meredith avenue and Circuit avenue to Eliot street, and Circuit avenue extended to Charles River, leaving 225 voters on north side and 279 on south side.

Ward Six is divided by Beacon street so evenly that there are 255 voters on north side and 286 on south side.

Ward Seven is divided by Tremont street, Park and Elimwood, to Centre street, leaving 237 on north side and 226 on south side.

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Alderman Harbach from the highway committee reported in favor of laying out, grading and acceptance of Prince street, from Berkeley to Chestnut, and of Hancock avenue to Beacon street, and orders were passed to that effect. Hearings were appointed for property owners interested on Monday evening, April 1, at 8 o'clock, before the board of aldermen, and Monday evening, April 8th, at the same hour, order the common council.

THE NEW BRIDGES.

Alderman Tolman from the finance committee, reported on that part of the Mayor's address relating to the two new bridges, and recommended that so much of the order adopted June 26, 1888, and of the one adopted August 20, 1888, as related to the manner of payment by notes for the uridges, he rescinded, and that the cost, \$16,000, he paid out of accumulations in the treasury not otherwise

once, and that would close the matter for the year.

CHANGE OF TIME. An order was passed changing the hour of meeting from 6.45 to 7.15, on recommendation of Alderman Tolman, who said that the earlier hour was very inconvenient to him, as it was to most of the members who did business in Bostonian Control of the members who did business who did business

Alderman Chadwick endorsed the change, and said that it was almost impossible for him to get to the City Hall at the earlier hour.

Alderman Petree, on whose motion the early hour was adopted, said good-naturedly that he did not know as it mattered greatly, as he should have to be somewhere, as long as he wore this mortal coil, which remark caused considerable laughter.

THE POLICE FORCE.

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Alderman Tolman reported an order recommending that the committee on police consider the expediency of increasing the number of patrolmen, of inauguluting a system of three daily reliefs, so that men might be on duty all night, instead of being off at 3 o'clock in the morning; of furnishing the night patrolmen with horses, and also of having one official detective on the force.

Aldermon Tolman said that the necessity for increasing the efficiency of the police force was apparent. He had no fault to find with the present force, but the number of police was too small to give the necessary protection; the recent purglaries in the city had all occurred after 3 o'clock, when the patrolmen had recently been changed to 4 o'clock. Something should be done in the way of increasing the force, so that there should be men on duty all the time. There ought to be also some special officer who could be detailed for detective work, in citizen's clothes; there were now several suspicious characters in the city, one he was sorry to say, in his own ward, who needed watching, and it was useless to appoint a man in uniform to look after them, as that would warn them that they were watched. The present beats were so long, that a man could only patrol them once or twice during the night, and if the men were furnished with horses they could go over the ground many times.

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Alderman Kennedy said that at a recent meeting of the police committee, this matter had been considered and several changes of the nature recommended by Mr. Tolman had been made. The day officers now go on from 2 o'clock p. m. to 12 o'clock mid-night, which will give additional protection in the early morning, and is equal to the addition of three men to the force. The city was so spread out and the territory to be covered so large that double the number of men might be employed to advantage. As for the special detective, the city marshal now had the power to detail any officer for work in citizen's clothes. The motion of Alderman Tolman was passed and the suggestion referred to the police committee.

THE STREET RAILWAY HEARING

There were a number of Telephone and Storage battery men, citizens and mem-bers of the common council present to listen to the hearing of the Newton

bers of the comments of the Newton Street Railway on its petition to be allowed to use the overhead system of propelling its cars by electricity. Ex-Mayor Kimball was present among others, and occupied a seat with Mayor contents.

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Burr.

President Parker was the first speaker,
and said that the aldermen had already
examined the system it was proposed to
use, as they had seen its workings in
Boston and Lynn. It was the only
system that had so far proved a success.
The company proposed to operate at
first an eight mile circuit, from Newton
to West Newton, to Waltham, to Watertown and back to Newton. They would
equip it in the best manner, and intended
to give a first class service. The road
would do more to build up between the
villages than anything that had yet been
introduced in Newton, and the company
intended also to run a line up Walnut
street, past the cemetery, to Newton
Centre.

Alderman Kennedy asked if it was
practicable to operate the double trolley
system. Mr. Parker said that electricians differed about that, the roads now
doing the best work only had one wire.
The object of the double trolley was to
make a return by the second wire, instead of by the tracks, and some claimed
it prevented induction. The single wire
was however less of an obstruction. In
response to other questions he stated
that there was some complaint in Cambridge from the telephone men, but he
thought the trouble would soon be overcome, as electricians were at work on the
problem. In Newton there would probably be little trouble would soon be overcome, as electricians were at work on the
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In reply to Alderman Childs he stated
that the company would use the electric
light poles aiready up whenever possible
and would put up turned hard pine poles.
Iron poles cost 830 each and wooden
poles 55. In regard to interference with
the police signal system, he did not
think there would be any trouble, as few
of the signal lines would be on Washington street.

J. M. Kellar of the New England Teleplone company appeared in remonstrance

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their method of running cogs in a bath of oil, while he claimed the overhead companies had to run their cogs dry and so ground them up in a ruinous manner. Alderman Pettee doubted some of his theories and asked some very practical questions. Mr. Alley claimed that the storage battery cars which weighed two tons more than the overhead wire cars, could be run with less power, but Mr. Pettee has had considerable experience with machinery and doubted such a theory. Mr. Alley said it was on the same plan that the steam tailroads use heavy engines now instead of the old fashioned light engines. Alderman Pettee thought he could explain this theory as the light engines only used to draw half a dozen cars, while the heavy ones were able to draw sixty or seventy. After more sparring between the two experts on machinery Mr. Alley told of the successful experiments with the storage battery car on the Cambridge road. He explained to Mr. Parker that the West End dompany imagined that the overhead system was cheaper, although this was not the case. His company were now ready to make a contract and had signed one contract that day,

Mr. E. H. Pierce of Newtonville ap-

company were now ready to make a contract that day.

Mr. E. H. Pierce of Newtonville appeared to object against wooden poles on Walnut street, and said that if Boston required iron poles, they were none too good for Newton. The Newton Street Railway was not now an exclusively Newton corporation so that the board were justified in looking out very carefully for the interests of the city. If wooden poles were allowed, the experience with the Telephone company would be repeated. They promised to keep their poles painted, in return for the free grant of a location, but the poles had been given a thin coat of paint when first erected, and had never been touched since.

The hearing was then closed.

WEST NEWTON LYCEUM.

RESULT OF THE CIVIL WAR. THE TARIFF

A meeting of the West Newton Lyce-am was held in the City Hall last evening. The music was an agreeable fea-ture, selections being rendered by Mr. Fred H. Hobart, xylophone and saxe-phone soloist. The accompanist was Mr. E. Everett Burdon. The lecture on "Results of the late Civil war as seen in the two sections of the country, north and south," was delivered by ex-Alder-man George M. Fiske of Auburndale. In alluding to some of the results of the war, the speaker referred to the condition of the negro in the South, and said that he was in a sense still the slave, The white men had commenced life in earnest, and through the influence of toil had been transformed from a dependent condition. This improvement had been noticeable during the past 6 or 8 years, and the good results of the change only predicts the greater development and resonrces of the Southern people. The Southern States are rich in soil

and mineral wealth and the land is peculiarly adapted for the pursuits of agricul-ture. Add to this the advantage secured through the introduction of railroads orniging constant accessions to the pop-ulation and, continuously developing the interior, and the future is a bright and promising one. The industry in the South has been remarka-ble. There has been progress also in education, and it can be truly said that the South was more benefitted by defeat than she would have gained by victory. It is a matter of rejoicing that the North and South have been reunited and are now

equally interested in a march of progress and improvement for the common good of a united country. The North needs the strong arm of the South in the work of advance. There are reforms to be carried out and a great movement requiring the attention of all men who desire to maintain and preserve the government is in destroying the liquor evil. The South has taken a firm position on this question, and together we must labor to secure the desired reform, complete annihilation of an enemy that seeks to undermine the home and the

usefulness of citizenship.

At the conclusion of the lecture, the debate was opened in the affirmative by Mr. Charles F. Fitz of Watertown. The question for discussion was, "Resolved, That sugar, salt, coal, lumber and wool should be admitted into the United States free of duty." He advocated the advantage of freer trade and pointed out many of the defects in the protective tariff system, alluding to the duties on salt, wool, coal and lumber as unnecessary, tax kept up simply to foster monopolies without regard to the greatest good of the greatest number. It adds to the cost

of the order adopted June 26, ISSS, and of the signal lines would be on Washingtones for the ordiges, be rescineded, and that the cost, \$16,000, be paid out of accumulations in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, and that the expenditure be added to the general appropriated for Highways for ISSO. The order was passed.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR.

Treasurer and Collector Kenick recommended that Moses Clark, Jr., be appointed deputy collector of taxes from the committee reported in favor of granting a license for stables to Lyman Ross, H. M. Spear, O. E. Bowen, and also of the Scholle for the committee reported in favor of granting a license for stables to Lyman Ross, H. M. Spear, O. E. Bowen, and also of the probationery term of six months on mittee reported in favor of granting and the appointment was confirmed.

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Alderman Pettee asked if he appeared for the month of the probation of the proba

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The discussion was continued by Messrs. S. W. Davis, Smith of Wellesley, Marcus Morton, S. P. Darling, and Geo. A. Walton

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brilliant reception was given by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brooks at their residence corner of Sargent street and Waverly avenue, last Friday evening. Invitations avenue, last Friday evening. Invitations had been sent out to the number of 450 and over 300 guests were present, the company comprising many prominent society people from this city and adjoining cities and towns. The interior of the manston was decorated with choice plants and flowers tastefully arranged and beautiful in variety of coloring. The broad verandas extending around the house were enclosed in canvas and carpeted with guests who sought the refreshing air and during the evening were thronged with guests who sought the refreshing air and the pleasures of the promenade. The exterior decorations consisted of festoons of bunting and draping of the national colors, the work having been superintended by Mr. R. A. Gale of Boston. The grounds were illuminated with electric lights. The ladies wore full evening dress and many elegant costumes were noted. It was a representative gathering and an occasion of great social interest. Dancing commenced at 11 o'clock and music was rendered by musicians from the Boston Symphony orchestra. A banquet was served. Among guests present were noticed Mayor Burr and wife, Ex-Mayor J. W. Kimball, Ex-Mayor W. P. Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. I. Burr, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Farquhar, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brackett, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Merrill, Mr. Arthur Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Merrill, Mr. Arthur Davis, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. White, Mr. H. B. Coffin, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. March, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dennison, Mr. Duncan Edmands, Mr. Weston of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dennison, Mr. Duncan Edmands, Mr. Weston of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kenrick, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fitch, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Siocum, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Stone, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Kenrick, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. No. Brackett, Mr. Charles The Mrs. John S. Farlow, Mr. Charles The Mrs. John C. Dewey, Mrs. Garlyle Petersilea, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kimball, Mrs. Langdon Coffin, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Edmands, Mr. Weston of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kimball, Mrs. George B. Jones, Mr. and Mr

Health Statistics.

The report of the board of health for January, issued this week, gives the number of cases of diphtheria during that month as 25, of which 8 were in ward six,5 eachin ward three and four,3 in

THE PROHIBITORY AMENDMENT.

ORGANIZATION OF A CAMPAIGN WORKING COMMITTEE.

A meeting was held in Eliot Hall, Monday evening, for the purpose of organizing a campaign co....ittee to work in the interests of the proposed constitutional prohibitory amendment. Rev. Wolcott Calkins, D. D., presided, and

Rev. Dr. J. B. Gould was chosen secre-tary. The best and most efficient means for bringing out the vote upon this question were discussed, and remarks were made by Dr. Gould, Rev. Dr. Clark, Judge Park, Rev. Pleasant Hunter. Messrs. E. F. Kimball, Thomas Weston, W. H. Partridge, W. H. Rand, J. N. Bacon and others.

Rev. Mr. Hunter called the attention of those interested in the cause to the fact that many persons who had voted for "no license" were in danger of voting against the constitutional amendment They represent a class of people that must be labored with in order to get them on the right side. The speaker them on the right side. The speaker said that union temperance meetings would be held in Newtonville on the four or five Sundays preceding the election, by agreement of the several pastors and for the benefit of the cause.

Dr. Clark of Newton Centre said that the work must be prosecuted with firm-ness. Literature of the right character should be distributed to the citizens. public meetings and rallies held and able speakers secured to present the question in a practical way, dissipating the filmsy objections that have been raised against the passage of the amendment. An effort should also be made to reach every

individual voter.

Mr. J. N. Bacon said that many temperance men would be inclined to vote against the amendment on account of its cider provision. They must drink their cider to cure dyspepsia and kindred ailments. Such men do not recognize the momentous character of a struggle for purity and restoration of a once fair fame in this old Commonwealth. I had rather give up cider than lose the amend-ment. All prejudices should be forgot-ten in a combined effort to bring about the success which is most desirable. The the success which is most desirable. The Congregationalist is wrong in its position on this question. Let us organize for efficient work and occupy every moment of time in bringing the people into line upon this important measure. Let us have a rousing majority for the amendment and show the country that Massachusetts stands where she always did in upholding the greatest good of the greatest number, noble and true in preserving and perpetuating good government.

good government.
Rev. Mr. Gould alluded to the export of rum from the United States to A r. a and said that 92 percent of the entire quantity was shipped from Boston. It was a bad state of things for Massachus.

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Mr. Thomas Weston urged immediate

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The second series of shares in the Newton Co-operative bank is issued this month. Subscriptions may be made until the first Tuesday in April. There will be a public meeting on opening the second series at City Hall, West Newton on Tuesday, March 12th, at 7,30 pm. Mr. Thomas B. Fitz will preside. Subscriptions should be sent to the secretary, J. Cheever Fuller, at the Bank's office in Newtonville square, where full information in regard to the bank will be cheerfully furnished, or they will be task on at the meeting.

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In the paper on Oklahoma last week the compositor made me say:

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Of course No. 3 should have been omitted. That part is the home of the five tribes, had ceded a large tract of land to the government. During the last few days the Seminoles, another of the five tribes, had ceded a large tract of land to the government whereby the Creeks, one of the civilized tribes, and ceded in the stream week of in dilant Territory, and the center of the five tribes, had ceded a large tract of land to the government buring the last few days the Seminoles, another of the five tribes, had ceded a large tract of land to the government buring the last few days and the provides for the cream of the compositor made me say:

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The Real Cause of Pauperism.

An unusually interesting article by the Earl of Meath appears in the January number of The Nineteenth Century, under the title of "A Thousand more Mouths Every Week." His object is to trace out the origin of the pauperism and crime of England, and to suggest some remedies.

that month as 25, of which 8 were in ward six,5 eachin ward three and four,3 in ward five, 2 in ward one, and one each in wards two and seven. The report says:

Diphtheria of a malignant type appeared suddenly in our midst, and circumstantial evidence shows that it was carried to various parts of the city from one fountain-Lead. It was found necessary to establish police quarantine in one case and strong measures are being taken to stamp it out. We think from evidence obtained that we should class the above deaths of membranous croup with those of diphtheria.

Nine of the cases of diphtheria and two of membranous croup proved fatal. The total number of deaths was 25, the oldest being 87 years, 9 months and 16 days. Thirteen of those who died were born in Newton and 7 of the remaining in the State.

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families, and leads to impoverishment and crime. One of the arguments that will be pressed against the prohibitory amendment to be submitted to the people of this State is that the decline of the revenue now received from license, and the driving away of the business created by the manufacture and sale of liquor will increase taxation; but we must not be deceived by such a fallacy, for if we lose in one direction we gain in another. The expenses to which the community are put, to care for the pauperism and crime created by drink, are vastly in excess of any revenue the State derives directly or indirectly from this tariff. X. families, and leads to impoverishment

Police and Fire Department of Ancient Rome.

In Lanciani's new book on Ancient Rome there is a very interesting chapter with this title. It appears that there was a force of over 7000 men employed on police and fire duty, the same force having in charge the keeping of order and the putting out of fires. Old Rome must have been a dreary

place on dark nights, for there were no street lights of any kind. During half of the year when the moon was not shining the people who had to go out after dark

the people who had to go out after dark used lanterns or torches. Rich people were preceded in their nocturnal strolls by slaves carrying lights. There was no business done at night, for all the shopmen and merchants locked up their places at twilight; the doors of private houses were fastened securely to guard against thieves, and the windows were protected by iron railings.

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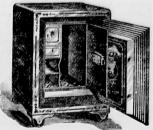
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THE ELECTRIC RAILWAY.

The hearing on the petition of the Newton Electric Railway company, for permission to use the over-head system for propelling their cars, was notable in one respect, that no remonstrances of importance were made, which shows that the citizens generally are willing to welcome the company to Newton, and expect very favorable results from the new loop line.

The New England Telephone company

had several representatives present to place obstacles in the way, but the telephone company does not own the New ton streets, and its present legal status in this city is rather insecure, inasmuch as the present company has never received any grant of rights to place its poles in the streets. The former telephone con pany had a valuable franchise given it for which it paid the city nothing, and succeeded in getting a revenue of some \$600 out of the city besides. As far as the legal aspects of the case are con-cerned the railway company has a right to the use of certain streets, while the telephone company has not, and there is little doubt but that of the two, the rail-way would be of the greater benefit to

As for the opposition of the storage battey representatives, that would have more weight, if the storage battery sys-tem had been proved to be a success. Many experiments have been made, and while the storage battery street cars rep-resent the ideal system, and in time will be so improved and perfected as to supercede all others, it is hardly worth wile to wait. The overhead system is in successful use and would appear to be well adapted to Newton. That the system has been adopted by the West End Company is a substantial argument in its favor, as that company has plenty of money and has shown a disposition to secure the best attainable. They made many experiments with storage battery cars, and had the scheme been practicable, the West End Company would have been glad to adopt it, as it would have done away with all objections to the use of the streets of Boston. But the West End company seem disposed to await further developments, and the Newton company only follow their exam

As for the telephone and fire-alarm sigwires, the trunk lines of the former are on Watertown street, and so would not be affected by the electric wires of the street railway, and the telephone and fire alarm wires on Washington strete could probably be easily protected from interference. The new police signal sys-tem, which it is proposed to introduce, could have its wires located on other streets, away from all interference.

The street railway would be such a great benefit to the city, that no factious position should be made to its introduction, and this is the light in which the majority of the board of aldermen seem to look upon it. They will, howevseem to look upon it. They will moveled er, take all necessary precautions for public safety, and to protect the interests of the city. The railway company will secure a valuable franchise and can af-tord to do things properly.

A FREE TRADE ARGUMENT.

A good deal of old straw was threshed over at the Lyceum meeting, Monday evening, in the debate on the admission of sugar, salt, coal, lumber and wool free of duty, and old campaign arguments were again brought forth by the speakwere again brought forth by the speaker ers. We are afcaid that the speaker for the protectionists is a little unsound in his views, as he spoke about putting sugar and rice, which are produced in the solid South, on the free list, because we list, because we do not produce enough for our wants. Representative Kelley of Pennsylvania, the father of Protection, was very indignant at the move to put sugar on the free list, and stigmatized it as the entering wedge of Free Trade. The Kansas and other Western Senators, in states where beet sugar is a rising industry, also denounced it as a Free Trade measure, and one in the interest of the pauper labor of foreign countries. These gentlemen see very clearly that it is not safe to make any exceptions, and there is certainly no reason favorable and otherwise. Any plan that hould not produce sufficient sugar home consumption, and so enable New England farmers to become persons. "The rational and in the sufficient sugar in the city council reports given in the city council reports." why, if the duty was made high enough, we should not produce sufficient sugar prosperous. "The rational and impregnable position of the Protectionist" is

sugar, who have made the fatal step toward Free Trade. The arguments free sugar will answer equally well for free lumber, or free wool, or other raw materials of which we do not produce an ample supply. It is to be regretted that there was no thorough going Protection-ist, untainted by any Free Trade heresies, to uphold the negative side of the question before the Lyceum, as the fatal admission about sugar made all the speakers to argue on the side of a greater or lesser degree of Free Trade.

THE NEW ADMINISTRATION.

The new national administration has started off very successfully, and it now remains to see what it can do to prove it-self worthy of the high duties imposed self worthy of the high duties imposed upon it. President Harrison's inaugural was another illustration of his ability to talk without "slopping over," and he avoided dangerous topics with the skill of a veteran. He left the civil service reformers and the spoilsmen both hopeful, and he is too skilled a statesman to make promises which he knows he will not be able to carry out. He was he will not be able to carry out. He was quite emphatic in regard to frauds upon the ballot, whether committed in the north or south, and this sentence deserves to be quoted. "Those who use unlawful methods, if moved by no higher motive than the self-shness that prompts them, may well stop and inquire what is to be the end of this." This taken in connection with another sentence, "No political party can long pursue advantage at the expense of public honor, or by rude and indecent methods, without protest and fatal disaffection in its own body," show that the ew President means to do his that the new President means to do his part towards a much-needed purification in politics. The message has been re-ceived with favor by all parties, and evidently the people mean to treat the new President courteously and fairly, and wish him the greatest possible success As President Harrison says "Let us exalt patriotism and moderate our party con-tentions," and the people generally, tired of the petty squabbles of politicians, are ready to follow this advice.

THE CO-OPERATIVE BANK.

The Newton Co-operative Bank will hold a public meeting at City Hall, next Tuesday evening, when several speakers will be present to explain the co-opera-tive bank system. The Graphic took occasion six months ago, when this bank was established, to welcome its formation as a new and decided benefit to our city. The method and system of co-operative badking was fully explained at that time in these columns

The bank has announced its second series of shares, which shows that the project has already been a success, and it is reported that 200 shares were subscribed for at the meeting at UpperFalls, this week, and over 500 more have also been taken. The bank is especially for the benefit of citizens in moderate circumstances, and all who are thinking of building at any time in the future, or design to own their own home, should make a special effort to attend this

meeting. We understand that a good dividend is to be declared at the end of the first six months, and it is already doing a good work for Newton. The Waltham bank, to select one instance out of many, is do-ing more than any other local institutiou in that city, for the material welfare of the people and the building up of Waltham, and there is just as good a field in Newton. There should be a large attendance at Tuesday evening's meeting.

THE Home Market Club had a disagreeable experience at Washington, on Tuesday, the officers at the White House refusing to allow Secretary Radclyffe to take his club right in to President Harrison, before the other clubs that were also on the spot. The Home Market Club men are not used to being told to wait, and according to the Bos-ton Journal's correspondent, all but fifty of them were so disgusted that they left

and is an important addition to advanced thought on educational matters. Mr. Seaver is a firm believer in introducing the teaching of mechanic arts in the public schools, and makes a very strong case in favor of his position

THE scheme for the division of the

prosperous. The rational and impreg-nable position of the Protectionist' is represented by Congressman Kelley rather than by the advocates of free the sensational and ridiculous charges with the sensational and ridiculous charges with the sensational and ridiculous charges mittee who up to the day the vote was

brought against Mr. Goodell, who has charge of the publication of the province laws. This insures an effort for an honest report and a complete vindication of

THE favorable report of the Legisla tive committee in regard to municipal suffrage for women was quite a surprise but the committee probably found that they had no good reason to give why women should not have a voice in the spending of their money by munici

REPRESENTATIVE GILMAN has earned the gratitude of the annexationists by his able speech in their favor in the House on Wednesday, and by his efforts in their behalf. Mr. Slocum was expected to speak also, but the speaker cut off debate before he had a chance to say anything

DR. BURDEN is in Washington looking after the Boston Collectorship, but the announcement that Collector Saltonstall will be allowed to serve out his term must somewhat discourage the persistent

OUR BOSTON LETTER.

Judge Park and Other Prominent Sur-vivors of the First Harrison Cam-paign—Beverly Farms—The Boston & Albany Bill—The Annexationists Encouraged.

rom Our special Correspondent THE FEW WHO ARE LEFT.

Inauguration day carried me back in memory fifty years and brought to mind vividly the distinguished men of the Whig party, living in Boston, who took such a prominent part in the election of Gen. William Honry, Harrison the following (1809) liam Henry Harrison the following (1840)

The Whig intellect of Suffolk county was then in its prime. Webster and Choate were then living in Boston. George Morey, the well known President of the Boston & Woreester railroad, Albert Fearing, Abbott Lawrence, Enoch Train, Philo S. Shelton, Philip Greely, afterward Collector, Josiah Quiney, elder and junior, Edward Everett, Robert G. Shaw, Robert C. Winthrop, Peter Harvey Horton of the Atlas, John H. Eastburn, William Hayden, Harrison Gray Otis, John C. Park, Hosea Illsley of Chelsea are a few of the names I recall as then working leaders of the party.

There are a fair representation of the capital and aristocracy of Boston, of its legal talent, of its mercantile and business interests, of its industrial interest and of its The Whig intellect of Suffolk county was

interests, of its industrial interest and of its journalistic talent, the last but not the least in importance as represented in the person and labors of the brilliant editor of the At-las.

Of all that brilliant array of wealth, tal-

ent and political leadership, hardly a tenth part of which is included in the names I have given, I recall but three who are liv-

Robert C. Winthrop was then just enter-Robert C. Withtrop was then just entering upon his brilliant career of statesmanship. At that period his age ranked him among the youngest of his party. He was a ripe scholar, well read in his profession, a pleasing speaker, ready debater, an elequent orator and one of the most graceful and accomplished wrasiding chilers who and accomplished presiding officers who and accomplished presiding officers; who ever occupied the Speaker's chair either in the National Congress or in the State Legislature. He was finishing his second term as Speaker of the House of Representatives when the Harrison campaign began.

John C. Park was then a rising lawyer in Boston, in the very prime of his early manhood. He had not only distinguished himself at the bar, but he had taken an active part in State and local polities. Like

tive part in State and local politics. Like Winthrop he was a fluent and pleasing speaker, a fine debater and an eloquent or-Like speaker, a fine debater and an eloquent or ator. During his long and useful life he has been called upon frequently to serve the State in both the upper and lower branches of the General Court, and I hardly need add with credit to himself and with satisfaction to his constituents, and I also hardly need add that he is well known to the citizens of Newton among whom he has resided for many years and where he is rounding out his four score years and more in acceptably discharging the duties of Judge of your City Court. In one sense I was one of his pupils and an intimate perwas one of his pupils and an intimate pe sonal acquaintance of half a century he emphasized my feeling of respect and affe

of them were so disgusted that they left without going into the White House. The club's valuable services in the cambridge could not have been known by the officials, or they would not have been known by the officials, or they would not have had to scramble with the crowd for admission to the President.

The able editorials in the Boston Traveller and the Boston Journal in regard to the Prohibition Amendment are attracting comment—from their absence. Neither of these two leading Republican organs have as yet found time to discuss the amendment, although an alleged political nurder in Texas or some other far away place would have called forth and the supplies of the prohibition and the property of the prohibition of the prohibition of the prohibition and the prohibition of the prohibition and the prohibition of the prohibition and the prohibition of the prohibition of the prohibition and prohibition of the prohib Of the third, Philo S. Shelton, I can speak

political murder in Texas or some other far away place would have called forth columns of burning eloquence from each of them. Readers of these papers, who wait for their utterances before making up their minds, are in a painful state of suspense.

—Mr. E. P. Seaver, superintendent of the Boston schools, read a paper on manual training in the public schools, before the National Educational Association in Washington, Thursday. It was published in full in the Boston Herald, and is an in-portant addition to advanced thought on educational matters. Mr. Seaver is a firm believer in introducing charm of manner in relating reminis Probably no other three men, were living, could represent the times of which I have been writing,

BEVERLY FARMS.

In my last letter I stated with a good deal of confidence that the committee on to would report favorably for division. I had good reasons for believing that the chairman, Senator Whitney, who represents the man, senator witting, who represents the Worcester district and who succeeded Geo. P. Ladd of the same district, who was chairman of the committee last year, and who favored division, would follow his lead as it was supposed that the chairmanship was awarded him for the purpose of carrying out the views of his predecase.

taken in committee freely announced his determination to vote for division, and who went so far as to ask a fellow member on the way to the committee room to back him, and yet when the vote was called for he deliberately voted against. comment to make on the above further then to remark that if there has been corruption, bribery and undue influence this year it has not been on the side of the divisionists.

ELEVATED RAILROADS.

The first regular hearing this session was The first regular hearing this session was held on Tuesday before a large crowd. Practically the opposition was the same as in former years, Charles A. Welch representing "community at large" and "private property in general." This is Welch's hobby, and as what he says does neither horroweast it is a wall to know him. harm nor good, it is as well to humor him. The committees and the auditors are always pleased to see him and hear his quaint

remarks.

The special question before the committee was the Riley System so called. It
appears to be well sustained by capital and
influence. I don't think the West End influence. I don't think the West End seriously opposes the system in itself, excepting so far as it may interfere with its present tracks. The proposed route is unexceptionable so far as damage to property and inconvenience to travel is concerned within the limits of Boston proper, and feasible so far as the extensions are concerned: Elevated roads will come in time but the people have got to be elevated up to the idea first.

THE BOSTON AND ALBANY RAILROAD The vote on the granting the ten millions additional stock to the B. & A. R. R., in the senate, will probably be taken, and the whole matter settled after my letter is closed. The opposition to it as was the foundation, and comes mainly from a class of people who have an insane enmity to-wards all corporations and all monied insti-

WATERTOWN AND NEWTON

The residents of Morse Field, Watertown ought to feel pleased with the advance step they have made this year in committee. There is no reason to believe they will earry their points this , year nor approximate to it by a vote of the legislature. But they have planted a stake that will not easily be removed.

The Case in a Nut Shell.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC. In 1882 the B. & A. R. R. Co., bought of the State of Massachusetts 24,1154 shares of the stock of their road, at \$160 per share, giving in payment for the same the road's 5 per cent, twenty year In September 1883 note for \$3,858,500. 17,588‡ shares of this stock were distribu-ted as a ten per cent stock dividend. In 1886 the remaining 6527 shares were disributed as a stock dividend. The stock was worth \$200 per share or \$4,823,100 for the two dividends. For this stock not one dollar was paid by the stock holders. The Attorney General of the state declared these issues to be illegal. The road pays the state \$192,920.00 per anum as interest on its note, and pays its stockholders \$192,920.00 on the stock issued in place of the state stock. Who pays this double interest? The patrons of the road, of course. To-day our Legislature is asked to allow the issue of \$10,000,000 of new stock at par, when \$5,000,000 issued and sold at auction would realize the \$10,000, necessary for the purposes of the road. Thus \$800,000 in annual dividends would be required instead of \$400,000. What right has the Legislature thus to impose an unnecessary tax of \$400,000,000 on the patrons of the roads? It is not simply unjust, it is iniquitous. tributed as a stock dividend. The stock

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dergreen.
DEROCHER-MAHONEY-In Newton, March 5
by Rev. Michael Dolan, William C. DeRocher
and Mary J. Mahoney, both of Newton.
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5, by Rev. L. J. O'Tools, George Evans of Cam
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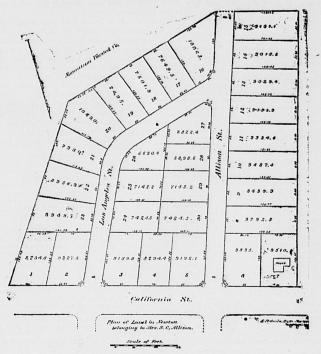
MORTGAGES. While recently perusing an Ancient Classic, [a copy of which is in the Public

Library, opposite my office in Newton|, I became interested in a description therein of a piece of Real Estate, and the thought struck me that it might very appropriately have been penned in reference to a plat of land I now offer for sale. The land is situated about equi-distant from the Newton Station on the Boston and Albany Rail Road, and the Watertown Station the Fitchburg Rail Road. I quote verbatim:

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TO LET-Houses in Newtonville, 14 room \$28 per month; 8 rooms, \$15; 4 rooms, \$1 3 rooms, \$8. D. P. O'Sullivan, Cabot St., New tonville, Telephone 55-3.

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To LET-The building now occupied by New-ton Laundry. Apply to E. B. Blackwell.21tf

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NEWTONVILLE.

—Mr. Lunt has moved into one of Mr F. S. Rollins's houses on Otis street. —Mr. John Q. Bird was in Washington this week and attended the inaugural cere-monies.

-The Newton Co-operative Bank will have a public meeting at City hall, March

--Hon. Charles Dewey and wife of Mont pelier, Vt., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs H. D. Kingsbury last week.

—Mr. D. C. Heath and Master James Heath attended the inaugural ceremonies in Washington this week.

—George M. Cranitch of the S. S. White Dental Company, attended the inaugural ball in Washington, Monday evening.

—Officer Bosworth's hours of service have been changed. He goes on duty now at 2 o'clock p.m. and remains until 12 p. m.

—Mr. H. F. Ross has concluded not to build at present upon the Pulsifer estate corner of Walnut and Washington streets. —The bowling alley at the clubhouse of the Newton Club has been completed. It is 60 feet long and one of the best alleys in the city.

—Mr. U. H. Dyer contemplates the removal of his fish and oyster business to the store formerly occupied by John Viles in Central block.

- Mr. Wentworth is erecting a new house on Foster place. A dwelling house is also being erected by Mr. Curtis Abbott on Bowers street.

on Bowers street.

—An enjoyable whist party was held at the residence of Mr F. J. Wetherell on Lowell street, Tuesday evening. About 30 ladies and gentlemen were present.

—Corp. A. D. Williams failed to pass the examination for the lieutenantry of Co.C, 5th Regt., M. V. M., but it is said that the Colonel had his eye on some other man.

—Quite a large delegation of the Chantau-que Circle and members of the Methodist church attended the reception to Chaplain McCabe at the People's church in Boston, last Monday evening.

—Lenten services will be held at the residence of Mrs. Tewksbury on Walnut street, Monday evening. It is the first in a series of meetings which will be held during the Lenten season.

—Mr. Alfred Q. Cole accompanied his mother to Washington last week and attended the inaugural ceremonies. They were guests at the apartments of Mr. Elbridge, his partner, during the week.

Officer Clay while climbing Mt. Ida's slope a few nights since, got fastened in the mud and clay and mud and and mud and clay were intermingled for a time, forming a combination of soil hitherto unknown in that locality.

The improvements in the Methodist —The improvements of the interior of the auditorium will be handsomely frescoed and a new church organ will be added. It will be ready for occupancy before the conference in April.

—The annual meeting and sociable of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church was held at the residence of Mrs. D. S. Simpson, Newtonville avenue, last evening. The usual pleasant social features were enjoyed, interspersed with vocal and instrumental music.

—The first of the series of games in the pool tournament will be played Saturday evening in the rooms of the Newton Outing club. The whist tournament started Tuesday evening, the attendance being smaller than was anticipated on account of the unpleasant weather.

—As three members of the L. S. N.Whist club are in Boston this winter the club met with them at the West End on Monday evening. A full attendance, a jovial welcome, Japanese decorations, parodies of rhyme fitting special members, and a late return were in order.

return were in order.

—Residents of Newtonville are already making a stir to get the post office, recognizing the principle that to the victor belongs the spoils, and that active (?) partizanship is not necessarily a disqualification for position in the public service. There is also an effort to secure its removal to the south side of the track.

—The Woman's Guild met at 3 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. W. Dickinson on Cabot street. The Rev Geo. S. Butters read an original story entitled A Midnight Vigil. Those familiar with Mr. Butters' literary work will realize the pleasant hour afforded the company by his kindness and it is a matter of regret that the heavy storm deterred many from attending.

erred many from attending.

—The regular monthly social of the M. E. Society was held in the parlors of Mr. D. S. Simpson, Newtonville avenue, ast evening. An entertainment was provided, consisting of a song, by Miss Etta Allen; reading by Miss Hattie March of Monroe college; song, Mrs. Gilman; reading, Mr. Geo. Bridges; violin solo, Linwood Towne, accompanied by Miss Towne.

—On the evening of Tuesday, March 26, Ellot lodge 633 and Garden City lodge 1901, K. of H., will hold a meeting in Masonic hall, Newtonville, to which the Grand lodge officers and the lodges associated together for lodge visitation of Boston and vicinity, under the direction of Bro. J. Warren Smith and brothers of Watertown, Waltham, Natick and Needham lodges have been invited.

—The second of the series of the series

have been invited.

—The second of the series of three dances to be given by the Newtonville Literary and \$\frac{1}{2}\sigma_{\text{oright}}\text{ literary

Newton will furnish music.

—John F. Payne has enlarged his prescription desk and it is now 12 feet long. The additions at either end are finished in polished energy the upper portion containing panels of Cathedral glass with cut glass centre pieces. The entire top is surmounted with an ornamental eherry railing. The top of the desk is finished in antique oak, and underneath the prescription bench there are numerous drawers and closets for tools, bottles and the usual necessary articles required in a first-class planmacy.

—Miss Grace Pinkham left Boston Wed-

eles required in a first-class pharmacy.

—Miss Grace Pinkham left Boston Wednesday afternoon at 6 o'clock, for Charleston, S. C., where she is to fill a position as private tutor to the young daughter of Gen. Taft of that city. She was accompanied by Mirs Pinkham and Miss Louise to Washington, where they will spend some days, and from thence to Charleston she will be in Gen. Taft's care. A pleasant party of Boston and Newtonville friends met at the N. Y. & N. E. station to extend their cordial wishes and to say goodbye. It is hoped that improved health may be the result of the change as the position offers many pleasant inducements.

—An informal reception upon the occa-

the change as the position offers many pleasant inducements.

—An informal reception upon the occasion of the 50th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pulsifer was held at their residence, Walnut street, Newtonville, Monday afternoon and last evening. Yumerous friends and neighbors called to express congratulations, and the couple were the recipients of a bewildering variety of beautiful flowers. The family was represented by the sons and daughters, Mr. Charles T. and Mr. Nathan T. Pulsifer and Mrs. W. S. Sloeum and Mrs. Geo. F. Kimball. Many of the grandchildren were also present, and participated in an enjoyable musical program. An original poem was written for the occasion by Mr. Henry C. Hayden. Among those who called during the day were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fuller, Mr. Joseph N. Bacon and Mr. Geo. Hyde, who were present at the wedding ceremony 39 years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Pulsifer received a number of press.

ents, and among them was a valuable gold watch from their children.

ents, and among them was a valuable gold watch from their children.

—The Elmont Male quartet, assisted by Miss Katharine Lincoln, soprano; Miss Mattie M. Kyle, contrato; Miss Gertrude H. Kelly, violinist; Mr. T. E. Stutson, humorist; Mr. A. B. Allison, pianist; gave a concert in the Universalist church palor; Wednesday evening. The selections by the quartet were finely rendered and encores were responded to. The voices were well balanced and harmonious. Miss Lincoln's singing was an agreeable feature of the program. She has a flexible voice of unusual purity and sweetness. The contratto solos by Miss Kyle gave evidence of vocal ability, and the lower notes in her register are especially pure in tone and quality. Miss Kelly was the recipient of a flattering reception and her violin numbers denoted artistic skill and brilliant execution. Mr. Stutson was, as usual, comical and entertaining, and the piano numbers by Mr. Allison were very finely rendered. Solos by Mr. Sisson and Mr. Sladen may be mentioned as among the excellent features of the concert.

WEST NEWTON.

—A. L. Gordon has a fine stock of shoe and rubbers.

—The Newton Co-operative Bank will have a public meeting at City hall, March 12.

—Mr. and Mrs. George P. Whitmore have returned from a ten days' trip to New York and Philadelphia.

and Philadelpma.

—Thirteen united with the Congregational church last Sabbath, six of whom were upon profession of faith

—The Red Banking company of the Congregational church have returned as their deposit for the year, \$68.36.

—Hugh Montgomery will speak upon the temperance question Sunday morning in the Second Congregational church.

—In court since our last issue, nine cases we been disposed of as follows: Drunks, assault and battery, 1; insanity, 1.

. —Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Dutch were visitors at the Capitol in Washington, D. C., during the inaugural ceremonies.

—Mr. Fred H. Hobart played several fine xylophone and saxophone solos at the meeting of the West Newton Lyceum, Monday evening.

—Mr. Fred Cook and Mr. James Ellis were among the excursionists who visited Washington, and were present during the inaugural ceremonies.

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—Mr. W. H. Mague purchased in Canada recently a number of valuable horses, and a car load of the animals arrived here last week via the Fitchburg railroad.

—Miss M. Millie Fogwell will give a concert at the Congregational church, March 27, assisted by excellent talent, and the affair will be well worthy of patronage.

—An important meeting of the directors of the Newton Woman's Suffrage League will be held at the residence of Mrs. E. N. L. Walton this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—Mr. Fred Cook and Mr. James Ellis will visit Baltimore, Md., and Wilmington, Del., during their absence. At Wilmington they will be the guests of Mr. S. D. Duncan,

—Mr. Warren Kilburn visited Columbian Encampment, I. O. O. F., of Stoneham, Mon-day evening, in company with other mem-bers of Trimount Encampment of Boston. —Another barrel is to be sent to Mrs. Dr. Devol at Fort Yates, Dakota, to aid the establishment of an hospital under the auspices of the New Indian Association.

—Thomas Mague is building an addition o his barn on River street, and B. F. Houghton is making an addition to his rocery store, corner of Elm and Washing-

—Mr. J. H. Nickerson is slowly improving in health, but Mrs. Nickerson was so worn out with anxiety during the critical stage of his illness that she is now quite seriously ill

"The quartet of Newton Lodge, comprising Messrs. Rice, Woodbury, Rand and Newell, sung selections at the funeral services of the late George E. F. Baker, yesterday afternoon.

—A meeting of the board of health was called for Tuesday afternoon, but there be-ing no quorum present an adjournment was necessary. Present, Alderman Tolman, Councilman Wiswall, Dr. Frisbie.

—Don't forget the recital in the City Hall next Wednesday evening for the benefit of the State Odd Fellows' Home, by Fred A. Metcalf, reader; F. B. Rogers, vocalist, and Fred H. Hobart, instrumentalist.

The children's festival at the City hall, on the 22 nd ult, not only gave the little ones pleasure, but also enabled the managers to make the following contributions from the net proceeds, viz: Newton Cottage Hospital \$23; West Newton Village Improvement Society, \$28.82; total, \$51.82.

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—The sociable of the Sunday school of the Unitarian church last Friday afternoon was an enjoyable occasion for the young folks, who participated in the games and dancing, agreeable features. A supper was served and the affair was a success.

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—Mrs. Geo. M. Chase has been quite ill, having been a sufferer from throat trouble. Mr. and Mrs. Chase have left their apartments in the United States Hotel in Portland, and have rented a furnished house which they will occupy for the present.

—Rev. Hugh Montgomery of Worcester will preach on Temperance next Sunday morning at the Congregational charch, with reference to our duty in the coming issue upon the Constitutional amendment. All interested are invited.

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—A temperance meeting will be held at City Hall, Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, under the auspices of Loyalty Lodge of Gos 'l Templars. Addresses will be made on the Constitutional Amendment by Rev. IR. A. White of Newtonville and others. Music by the Amphion Male Quartet.

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Advise by the Amphion Male Quartet.

—A large life portrait in oil of the late Seth Davis has been very handsomely framed and will be presented to the city of Newton and hung in the City Hall. The picture was painted by the late O. C. Onthank several months ago, when Mr. Davis had nearly treached his 100th birthday. It is an excellent likeness. It was framed by Mr. A. A. Child, 27 Beach street, Boston.

—The building especialty constructed for.

—The building especially constructed for a ladies' waiting room in connection with the stables of Mr. John B. Stoddard has been completed. It is an attractive ap-partment, neatly and appropriately fur-nished. Mr. Stoddard has engaged the services of Miss May Nicholl of this ward, who will keep the books and accounts of the establishment.

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—Mr. W. H. Rand was one of the speakers at the Eliot Hall meeting Monday evening, in the interests of the organization of a working campaiga amendment construction of the construction of

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—The cotillion and card party to be given next week at Woodland Park hotel, Mar. 13, under the management of Edward E. Leland and Melville A. Richards, will be the most brilliant event of the season. Some 100 have already accepted invitations to be present and there promises to be an elegant array of new costumes by the ladies. A symphony promenade concert will open the evening's entertainment at 7.45. The matrons are Mrs. George L. Lovett and Mrs. J. C. Jaynes, assisted by eight ushers. The hall is to be decorated with plants, etc.

—Messrs. A. L. Barbour and E. P. Hatch

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—Messrs. A. L. Barbour and E. P. Hatch have formed a partnership under the firm name of Barbour & Hatch, and will place insurance at the lowest rates and in the best companies. Mr. Barbour bought out the business of the late Seth Davis, and as secretary of the Cambridge Mutual Fire Insurance company, he is thoroughly posted on all insurance matters. Mr. Hatch is the eashier of the First National Bank and will be found there during business hours. The new firm will have the confidence of the public and call attention to the companies they represent in another column.

—The death of Officer George E. F. Baker

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—The death of Officer George E. F.Baker was the first that has occurred in the Newton police department since its organization. The primary trouble which probably led to his early decline is attributed to a pistol wound which he received while endeavoring to make an arrest about ten years ago, and by which he lost the sight of his left eye. The city will undoubtedly appropriately recognize the faithful services of the deceased. There is a movement among citizens to collect a fund to be placed at the disposal of the family, and the effort is commendable and worthy of encouragement.

ment.

—At the Congregational church special temperance services are to be held with a view to awakening an interest in the constitutional prohibitory amendment, which will be submitted to the people for their votes during the coming month. The pastor, Rev. H. J. Patrick, is much interested in bringing home to the minds of the people the importance of the proposed law, and the society will earnestly co-operate with him to secure the desired end. The matter is being agitated in all the churches, and great assistance to the cause will be derived through this channel.

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—A concert was given in the City Hall, Tuesday evening, under the management of Miss E. M. Brush by the Ruggles Street Quartet, assisted by Miss Eva A. Pluta, soprano; Mile. Courvoisier, contralto; Mr. Clifford A. Bently, humorist; Mr. Arthur S. Plummer, cornet soloist, Miss Evelyn Maude Brush, accompanist. There was a large attendance and the numbers by the several artists received evidences of appreciation at the hands of the audience. The selections by the quartet were finely rendered and the accompaniments were played with evident discrimination. The program is as follows: Sallor Song, Arranged, Quartet; Soprano Solos, Miss Pluta; Reading, Selected, Mr. Bentley; "Thou art my Dream," H. O. Johnson, Mr. Johnson; Cornet Solo, "Cujus Animam," Rossini, Mile. Courvoisier; Musical Extravaganza, "The experience and fate of a Boston Girl's Lover," Leavitt, Quartet; "The Chalet Horn," Glover, Miss Pluta; with cornet obligato by Mr. Plummer; Reading Selected, Mr. Bentley; "Ah, Dearest Heart," Strelezki, Mr. Remele; Contralto Solo, "Dream of Peace," Pinsuti, Mile. Courvoisier; Cornet Solo, Selected, Mr. Plummer; Sacred Selection, "Nearer Home," Arranged, Quartet.

Cooperative Bank Meeting, at City

Cooperative Bank Meeting, at City Hall, Tuesday Evening, March 12th.

AUBURNDALE.

-Mr. E. B. Haskell left here for Jack-onville, Fla., last Friday. —Mr. Tinkham lost a valuable horse this week worth about \$300.

-Mr. C. B. Kendall has gone to Balti-ore, Md., on a business trip.

—Capt. Chas. T. Haskell has arrived in New York, and Mrs. Haskell has joined him there. —Mr. Edward Angel has returned from his Western trip and will remain here for a short season.

—The mothers' meeting of the ladies of th Methodist society was held in the vestr Wednesday afternoon.

—Miss Olive Bourne is critically ill and consultation of physicians was held at er residence this week.

—Mr. Forbes has the sympathy of the community in the death of his only child, 4 years of age, who died from diphtheria. -Miss Eva Pluta and Miss Evelyn Maude Brush participated in a successful concert which was given in the City Hall, Tuesday

—Mr. E. L. Pickard, well known as a ardent and active Republican, went Washington and attended the inaugur ceremonies.

-Mr J. G. Blaisdell, who has been in Washington the past week, kindly remembered the Graphic with copies of Washington papers containing a full account of the inauguration ceremonies.

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—Rev. Mr. Cheney began on Thursday evening a course of lectures on the Beatfuddes, at the church of the Messiah. On Tuesday evening next there will be a lecture by Rev. Mr. Merrill of Chelsea.

—The sociable of the Y. P. S. C. E. was held in the Congregational chapel, Wed-nesday evening. An enjoyable program was provided and vocal selections were rendered by Mr. Waldo W. Cole, baritone.

The Lattimer Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor enjoyed a sociable at the residence of Mr. E. F. Miller, corner of Grove and Central streets, Monday evening. The company numbered about 60 persons and the usual social features, including games, music and a collation rendered the occasion both pleasant and interesting.

—Lenten services began on Wednesday at the church of the Messiah. The rector preached in the evening on the nature of sin and the duty of overcoming it. There are no small sins, no white lies. Sin is not an imaginary thing, not a figure of speech, but a reality. The season of Lent calls especially for efforts to rid ourselves of our own, not our neighbor's sins.

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—The Rev, Frank W. Merrill of Chelsea will preach at the church of the Messiah next Thesday evening. Man. 12, service to begin at 7.45. The errien 12, service to begin at 7.45. The errien 14, when the 14, and the service of the 14, and the service of beddam will preach. Other services during the week, viz., Monday, Wednesday and Saturday, at 4, 30 p.m., and Friday at 7.45 p.m.

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—A meeting of Rivertale lodge, No. 76, New England Order of Protection, was held at Auburn Hail, Wednesday evening. The degree staff of Puritan lodge No. 5 were present and had charge of the meeting. The initiatory degree was conferred upon a large number of candidates. For shose who intend to become members and who have not yet taken the necessary pre-liminary steps, the following information will be of value: It is particularly requested that to facilitate matters all papers should be filled out completely, medical exception of the iract into lots which will soon be fut upon the market and be very desirable. At Waban there have been two large sales, and much building is in prospect if the almshouse should be removed.

"Clugston, what do you think of the London Times now?"

"I have cut it off my exchange list," replied the editor of the Doodleville on his face.—[Chicago Tribune.

aminations made and fees paid before night of meeting. Dr. M. H. Clark's office hours for examination are as follows: before 9 a.m., 12.15 to 1 and 5 to 6 p.m. For the convenience of those who have business in Boston, a physician will call at such place and examine any candidate who will send address to the Secretary, F. I. Falkenbury, Auburndale, Mass.

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—On Tuesday morning the residence of Mr. Horace Dutton, corner of Hancock street and Woodland avenue, was burglarized and considerable solid silver ware stolen. About 3 o'clock his wife was awakened by the noise made by some one is such as the suc

Lasell Notes.

On Monday night a party of teachers and pupils attended the Albani concert in Boston.

Prof. and Mrs. Bragdon are supposed to be enjoying the festival of Mardi Gras in New Orleans.

Miss Carrie Waters and Miss Bertha Child made a brief call during the week They were former pupils of the school.

Dr. Kent took a company of pupils on the morning of Ash Wednesday, to the early communion at the Episcopal church. On Tuesday the monthly meeting of the Christian [Endeavor Society was held for business, and afterward a religious meeting On Wednesday afternoon, Miss Marion Talbot gave her second lecture in the course upon Sanitation. The subject was Ventilation.

Mrs. Wagner, sister of Mrs. Bragdon, with her two children, arrived at Lasell from her home in Williamsport, Penn., on Tuesday, Mar. 5.

On Friday morning, Rev. Dr. Ela of Chelsea, and Rev. Mr. Pickles of East Saugus visited the school to see its workings and were in various classes.

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On Thursday evening, Feb. 28, occurred the semi-monthly musical and literary recital. Miss Harvey made the announcements, and Miss Foster played some of the accompaniments. The first performance was by Miss Newcome, who gave a recitation. Miss Marsh played the guitar, Miss McChesney the piano. Also Miss Richards gave a piano solo. There were recitations by Miss Harding and Miss F. Gardner. Miss Laura Whitney sang a song. All did well.

Building in Newton.

From now onward the building season may be said to have fairly opened in this city and active transactions are looked for in some of the sections of this large place. At present there is a fair amount at Newton, but that section is pretty well filled up, and prices are pretty high. At Newtonville quite a number of sales have recently been made. The Griner estate, so called, containing 126,000 feet, has ust been sold to Higgins & Nickerson, builders, for improvement. Austin R. Mitchell is building seven or eight houses. At West Newton, one piece of houses. At West Newton, one piece of property, known as the Valentine estate, on Chestmut, Highland and Valentine streets, embracing 22 to 23 acres, is being laid out by Mr. Bowditch. This is considered about the finest location left in West Newton. The place is all built up, and this old homestead will make some very fine lots, which will be in the market as soon as the plans are complete. At Anburndale there is some call for moderate cost houses, and there has been some new building there within a few months. At Chestnut Hill there is a noticeable effect, from the new elec-

can for monerate cost nonses, and there has been some new building there within a few months. At Cheshut Hill there is a noticeable effect from the new electric road. It has had a tendency to brighten up prices and make a little more active demand for lands on the south side of the track. There is a steady improvement here, many partics building nice houses for their own occupancy.

Newton Centre appears to be one of the popular Newtons. Prices have been advancing quite steadily for the last three years, especially since the advent of the circuit railroad. Prices have appreciated there more than in any other place, except the Highlands and the older Newton. There is to be quite a large amount of building, and a good class of dwellings. At Newton Highlands there is a great activity in building. A fine block has been put up there, which beautifies the place. There are a large number of sales of vacant lands for laprovement during the past two or three months. There are more new houses of moderate cost being built there than in almost any of the other Newtons, and there is a better demand for them. In Eliot the party owning the greater part of the land about the depot is contemplating the cutting up of the irract into lots which will soon be put upon the market and be very desirable. At Waban there have been two large sales, and much building is in prospect if the almshouse should be removed.

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The next meeting of this society will be held next Monday evening with the young people of the Congregational church at Newton Centre. The older members of the churches are invited to be present, as the topic of the evening is one of common interest. Some members of the union will speak on the topic, Our Motto, For Christ and the Church, or The Revelation of the Christian Endeavor Society to the work of the Church. Later, the older members of the churches will be asked to carry on the discussion. At this meeting the officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

PEPORT of the Condition of the First
National Bank of West Newton, at
Newton, in the State of Massachusetts, at the
close of business, February 26th, 1889:
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LIABILITIES.

Total,

\$237,197 37 STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS, COUNTY OF MIDDLE-SEX, 88: I,Edward P.Hatch,Cashier of the above-named bank,dosolemnly swear that the above statement bank, do solemnly swear that the above stateme is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. EDWARD P. HATCH, Cashier,

scribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of March, 1889.

ISAAC F. KINGSBURY.

CORRECT—Attest: Notary Public.

AUSTIN R. MITCHELL.

FRED. E. CROCKETT,

EDW. W. CATE,

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WEST NEWTON LYCEUM CITY HALL,

Monday Evening, March 11th, At 7.40 p. m.

The lecture will be delivered by T. R. FITZ.
Subject "Eviction in Ireland." Question for de-bate, Resolved, "That the President should be chosen by a popular vote," Affirmative, W. E. Plummer, negative, S. Warren Davis. Miss An-drews will give piano elections.



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Civil service examination for Period Service of Newton will be held at the Civil Hall, West Newton, on the 18th of March at 2 o'clock, P. M. This is for the purpose of filling coestions in the permanent and temporary clerical forces of the civil Male and female citizens, who have been residents of Newton during the whole of the year last past, have a right to anyly. Application blanks can be obtained of Co.

1. F. Kingsbury, City Clerk, and Henry C. Hayden, Secretary of the Board of Examiners, Newtonville, Henry Sherwin, Chief Examiner, 2021.

MRS. TITLOW'S VISITOR

T. L. M'CREADY IN THE STANDARD

"Dear Mrs. Titlow," said the archdeacon blandly, "you nust not be discour aged. Such experience comes every day to those who work among the poor. They are providentially intended for our guid-

ance, and not for our discouragement.

And the arch deacon sipped his tea. It was five o'clock in theafternoon, the tea drinker's sacred hour, and Mrs. Titlow's

was excellent,
was doctor," said the lady, half "But, doctor," said the lady, half querulously, "It does seem so impossible to do anything for the poor creatures.

It's so hard to do anything with them.

Don't you know, when I go on one of my visiting rounds, I feel just as though I were looking at something through a plate glass window. I can see every-thing plainly enough, but when I reach my hand to touch anything I find I

The archdeacon smiled benevolently. "You will get over that feeling after awhile," he said, "It probably comes from self-consciousness on your part Keep on saying to yourself, "These people are my friends,' and after a you'll feel that they really are friends. Then everything will be friends,' and after a time for you.'

"Yes, but they're not my friends—that's just the trouble. I don't know why. I'm sure I feel interested enough in them, and friendly enough in them, and friendly enough toward them. But when I give them good advice, I can see they haven't the slightest idea of following it. And I know they often tell me lies in answer to my questions. Now you know, doctor, that's not being friend-

The archdeacon smiled again and finished his cup of tea before he spoke. "We must recognize the situation," he said, "and not expect too much. The poor are often very hard to deal with. They are prone to rebel against the decrees of Brovidence. They are not always as contented as they should be in the station to which it has pleased God to call them. They are often ignorant and thriftless. And as a rule they are sadly lacking in truthfulness. But all this, dear Mrs. Titlow, only makes it the more necessary that we should labor ear-nestly among them. In the scheme of God's wise providence, we have been set apart to be the stewards of His bounty. He might have arranged the world that there should be no poor. But he knew better. 'The poor,' he tells us, 'ye have always with you.' They stimulate our benevolence. They keep our sympathies And we, in turn, if we do our duthem, will develop in them the tues of thrift and temperance, and teach them to look with gratitude, not to us but to the Father who loves all His chil-dren equally, and has appointed the wis-er and better educated to dispense his bounty among the simple and untaught. Think how objectless your life would be if there were no poor for whose improve-ment you could labor. Think how wretched the lives of the poor would be if

mained standing.

"What a delightful chair," said the visitor. "So restful for the back. 1 colled "Yes, yes, I know," said the archdeacould almost go to sleep in it. Ahr my dear, you rich people have a great deal to the temper sentative.

be thankful for, after all. Of course, it's sad that you should be so helpiess, and need so many people to work for you and wait on you. But you must fight against that sort of degredation, and think, meantime, how good God is to provide you with all these pleasant things. How much more of a burden your helplessness would be to you if you had no nice, spacious house and no comfortable turniture in it. Have you ever thought of that, my dear, in your moments of discontent?"

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Mrs. Titlow drew herself up. She was half afraid of this extraordinary female, but she felt it would never do to show her trepidation. "Did you want to see me about anything special," she said. "If it's any charity business you can leave me your address, and I will see that a visitor calls on you. Or, perhaps, you had better go direct to the Good Samaritan office and see the secretary." Mrs. Titlow made this last sungestion with a faint hope that the stranger might take the hint and go at once. But the hope was disappointed. The stranger only settled herself more comfortably in the easy chair, and answered:

"See you about anything special, or I shouldn't intrude on you in this unceremonious fashion. And it is charity business, too, however you happened to guess it. You must know, I am a member of the Needle's Eye society."

Mrs. Titlow felt more comfortable. Some sewing women's organization, no doubt, that had sent this queer delegate

guess it. You must know, I am a member of the Needle's Eye society."

Mrs. Titlow felt more comfortable. Some sewing women's organization, no doubt, that had sent this queer delegate to solicit her patronage. "Yes?" she said encouragingly, "and what sort of work is it you want to do?"

"Oh!" said the stranger, "I'm coming to that in a minute. But do sitdown, won't you? Now I must insist upon it,"—as Mrs. Titlow remained standing—"you must sit down. I want you to feel that I'm your friend, and how can I think you feel that, or talk to you as a friend should talk, if you persist in standing while I'm sitting in this comfortable chair. Now sit right down, or I won't say another word."

Mrs. Titlow sat down. As she did so, her suppressed indignation at the stranger's impertinence hardened into a resolution that the Needle's Eye society shouliget mighty little sewing from her. Then the visitor went-on.

"There! Now we can have a comfortable talk together. Do you know"—with a little laugh—"it just occurs to me that I haven't introduced myself. That was stupid of me, wasn't it? How could I expect you to look on me as a friend, when you didn't even know my name? I am Mrs. Jones—Sophronia Jones. I hope you will learn to call you?"

"Idon't think we need to go into that, Mrs. Jones," said Mrs. Titlow, with mild haughtiness. "If you will be kind enough to state your business in as few words as possible I will be obliged."

"Dear, dear!" said Mrs. Jones, "how unsympathetic you rich folks are. I suppose it's one of the evils of your lot in life. If you only knew how much good it would do you to look on me as your friend, and to call me Sophy. But you'll do it by and by. God meant the rich and poor to be brothers and sisters, you know."

Mrs. Titlow felt a chill run down her backbone. This was the sort of thing she

know."

Mrs. Titlow felt a chill run down her backbone. This was the sort of thing she had brought upon herself by engaging in charitable work. She felt as though she should never want to go district visiting again.

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"You see, dear," Mrs. Jones went on, "you mustn't think the poor are altogether selfish and heartless. Many of them are so, I know, but not all. Some of us have a keen sympathy for the rich, and long to do them good. It is dreadful, I know, to have all your pleasure in this world, and nothing to look forward to but hell fire in the next. It makes my heart—"

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of the Needle's Eye society apart and spoke to her earnestly for a few minutes. "You really think so, doctor?" said Mrs, Jones aloud, at last. "I really do. You know, you musn't force your friendship upon your richer sisters. They might think you were inclined to batronize them." "All right, 'said Mrs, Jones. "Then I'll say good-by to Mrs, Titlow for the present. But remember, dear, that I want to be your friend, and if you find yourself in need of charity don't hesitate to send for me."

and for me."

The archdeacon showed the visitor to
The archdeacon showed "A sad case," he The archdeacon showed the visitor to the door and returned. "A sad case," he said, in pitying tones, "a truly sad case. Of course you saw that she was crazy. I'll have her sent to the asylum on Blackwell's island to-morrow."

the Moral Omitted.

There was once a lady, sober in mind and sedate in manner, whose plain dress exactly represented her desire to be inconspicuous, to do good, to improve every day of her life in actions that should benefit her kind. She was a serious person, inclined to improving conversation, to the reading of bound books that cost at least a dollar and a half (fifteen cents of which she gladly contributed to the author), and she had a distaste for the gay society which was mainly a flutter of ribbons and talk and pretty faces; and when she meditated, as she did in her

of ribbons and talk and pretty faces; and when she meditated, as she did in her spare moments, her heart was sore over the frivolity of life and the emptiness of fashion. She longed to make the world better, and without any priggishness she set the example of simplicity and sobriety, of cheerful acquiescence in plainness and inconspicuousness.

One day—it was in the autumn—this lady had occasion to buy a new hat. From a great number offered to her she selected a red one with a dull red plume. It did not agree with the rest of her apparent; it did not fit her apparent character. What impulse led to this selection she could not explain. She was not tired of being good, but something in the jauntiness of the hat and color pleased her. If it were a temptation, she did not intend to yield to it, but she thought she would take the hat home and put it on and surveyed herself in the mirror. Indeed, there was a new expression in her face that corresponded to the hat. She put it off and looked at it. There was something almost humanly winning and temptatious in it.

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In short, she kept it, and when she wore it abroad she was not conscious of its incongruity to herself or to her dress, but of the incongruity of the rest of her apparel to the hat, which seemed to have a sort of intelligence of its own, at least a power of changing and conforming things to itself. By degrees one article after another in the lady's wardrobe was laid aside, and another substituted for it that answered to the demanding spirit of the hat. In a little while this plain lady was not plain any more, but most gorgeously dressed, and possessed with the desire to be in the height of the fashion. It came to this, that she had a tea gown made out of a window-curtain with a flamboyant pattern. Solomon in all his glory would have been ashamed of himself in her presence.

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But this was not all. Her disposition, her ideas, her whole life, was changed. She did not any more think of going about doing good, but of amusing herself. She read nothing but stories in paper covers. In place of being sedate and sober-minded, she was friviolous to excess; she spent most of her time with women who liked to "frivol." She kept Lent in the most expensive way, so as to make the impression upon everybody that she was better than the extremest kind of Lent. From liking the sedatest company she passed to liking the gayest that she was better than the extremest kind of Lent. From liking the sedatest company she passed to liking the gayest society and the most fashionable method of getting rid of her time. Nothing whatever bad happened to her, and she is now an ornament to society.—Charles Dudley Warner, in Harper's Magazine for March.

BIG FURNITURE DEAL.

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(Special Dispatch to the Boston Herald.)

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 1, 1889. A few days since Messrs. B. A. Atkinson & Co., the large furniture distributors of Boston, made a proposition to the Phoenix Furniture Co. of Grand Rapids, Mich., to control the sale of their furniture in New England, and in this connection agreed to purchase \$150,000 worth in the year 1880. The Phoenix company to-day telegraphs;

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The above telegram closes the largest contract for furniture ever made in this country. The Phoenix company are the largest manufacturers of chamber, hall, library and dining room furniture in the world, and this great deal is suggestive of the enterprise of some of the Boston merchants.

New Music

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The following new music has been received from Arthur P. Schmidt, 13 West street, Boston: Vocal—'The Last Farewell,' J. L. Hatton; "When Far From Her,' Mrs. H. H. A. Beach; "The Old Chorister" and "The Triton," John E. Webster; "A Ditty,' Bertram, C. Henry, For vocal quartet, "Comfort in Sorrow," (mixed voices) and "Now Lovely Spring Her Flowers," (ladies' voices) Camille St. Saens, transcr. by Charles H. Morse; "Then Shall the Righteous Shine Forth," (ladies' voices) J. E. Trowbridge; "Mountain Charms," (male voices) H. Reinhold. For Pianoforte, Gavotte Moderne, Emil Liebling; Valse Caprice, F. Boscoritz; "Grace and Elegance" and "Youthful Gladness," W. L. Blumenschein. For organ, Prelude from Rebekan, Barnby, and Introduction and Fugue from the 12th Mass, Mozart, arranged by Henry M. Dunham.

Daughter—No, father, I cannot marry that man. He has red hair.
Father—But, my dear daughter, that objection doesn't amount to anything. Don't you notice that he is quite bald, and in a short time he will not have a single red hair on his head?—|Texas Siftings.

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Plum Culture.

Mr. J. F. C. Hyde read a paper on plum culture at the meeting of the Massachusetts Horticultural society, last Saturday. Mr. Hyde said he had written his brief paper hurridely and in the pressure of business, and as he only proposed to speak from his own experience in the cultivation of the fruit he would not advance any theories. Some 40 or 50 years ago, in New England, there was no mor difficulty in successfully cultivating th plum than the apple, but then trouble came from warts or black knots in the fruit, which some supposed were caused by the curculio, while others had differ-ent theories. This black knot had ent theories. This black knot had proved very destructive, and in many chards scarcely a single crop could obtained. There was a preventive for this, to a great extent, which Mr. Hyde said was in keeping the ground in a rich, healthy condition, and going among the trees and driving iron plugs in the trunks of those in which the curculio had been found, striking these places with a mal let and catching the insects in cloths spread under the trees, putting them in water pails with kerosene and then burn-ing them. This treatment should be fol-lowed up for four or six weeks for an hour each morning, and the nuisance would be abated. There are very few sorts of peaches that, under most favorable conditions, could be grown here to advantage, and the large blue sorts, as the large Bradshaw, were much preferathe large Bradshaw, were much preferable before the green or red varieties. Smith's Orleans, the Lombard, when properly thinned, were good varieties, while for a yellow, Prince's Imperial gage was a good plum, while the varieties for home use embraced several of the green gages and a few others. In closing, Mr. Hyde said he could not recommend the cultivation of the plum in this section of the country, except by those favorably situated, and have the means and desire to reach good results. At the close of the reading of the paper there was a discussion, in which a few persons took part, but this was largely as to the cultivation of the plum outside New England.

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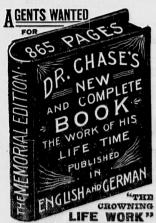
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CALIFORNIA CLIMATE.

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gloom?
It seems to an old Californian that a visitor to the Golden State, who has been accustomed for a life time to the wintry snows, blows, and blizzards of New Eng land, would gratefully accept most any climate offered him for the winter in southern or central California, and think himself fortunate in escaping the rigors

of one cold winter at home.

But too often the newspaper informs the Californian that the climate has failed of meeting the demands, or expec tations of the sojourner; it is too cold, too warm, too windy, or too foggy, and some one is to blame for not informing the world that the climate is not uniform

ly pleasant, like a balmy summer day.

Nearly every tourist seems to start
from his eastern home with pre-conceived ideasjin regard to the climate he ought to find in California. When these ideas are dispelled by stubborn facts, there is usually more or less disappointment, al-though there are some exceptions. Some tourists can see only the pleasant features of the State, and after spending a short of the State, and after spending a short time in a pleasant locality they write glowing descriptions of the country to their Eastern friends, and perhaps advise seiling the dear old farm house, and tak-ing up at once a residence in this golden land.
"Where a wind ever soft from the blue heaven blows, And the groves are of laurel, and myrtle and rose."

These Cyclopic tourists of one-eyed observation, have in the State much harm. It is not often that one meets with such candid observations upon California as are found in the paper recently read before the Newton Natural History Society, and afterward published in the Graphic.

The author, with keep eyesight sought.

GRAPHIC.

The author, with keen eyesight, sought for information under difficulty, and like the busy bee gathered honey from every flower. There seemed to be great perplexity in getting the information desired in regard to climatology, etc., even "books devoted to the subject" seemed to fail in this particular. But he is not the first to fail while investigating the causes on which the climate of a place depends.

depends.

For nearly forty years scientific and medical men have been trying to solve the difficult problem of climatology in California. The climate of San Francisco, so variable and peculiar, was long a puzzle to the observer. In the spring and summer months the mornings there are usually free from wind, and may suggest to a stranger that as it is so pleasant he may leave his overcoot behind while taking a survey of the city. For a time he is all right, but about eleven o'clock a not unpleasant breeze springs up from the ocean. Gradually it increases in strength, until by two o'clock the sand may fly in clouds, and the chilling ocean breeze causes the cold visitor to hasten under shelter, or to his hotel, where a fire is needed on the hearth. The cardivers, the business men, and belated ladies, who would a shopping go, have their eyes filled with dust, their garments covered with sand, and the ladies' frizzes are blown every which way.

About sunset the wind begins to abate, and near midnight there is again a calm. The sea breeze is a daily visitor, more or less severe, during the summer months, although about August it begins to subside, and during the months of November, December and January the wind is quiet, excepting in occasional rain-storms, and the atmosphere, although somewhat moist, is usually delightful.

The sojourner who gets but slight ghmpses of San Francisco, carries home a story of the terrible climate, or of the lovely climate there, according to the season of his visit. With all its variableness San Francisco is quite salubrious. A noted physician who had made his home in the city for twenty-five or thirty years, asserted in a medical journal that, so far from the climate being exhaustive of nervous power, "It hink it can be safely averred, that there is no climate in world which, with proper regard to the hygienic laws, enables men to endure more toil of body and mind, and to resist more effectually the ordinary causes of disease, than that of San Francisco, and of the count in the summer

"That whatsoever wind doth blow,
My heart is glad to have it so,
But blow it east, or blow it west,
The wind that blows, that wind is best."

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He knows that in its severity the climate cannot equal that of New England, and, although his heart often fondly turns toward his native land, yet he is permanently transplanted, and his growing roots cling more and more firmly to the soil of his adopted state.

To inquire of such a one, "how early do these apple trees leaf out in the spring?" he may not be able to tell exactly whether it be in March or April, but if he were questioned in regard to the water, whether it ran up hill or down in California, he would assuredly answer that, according to his best recollection, streams of water ever have a downward

tendency, but that surrounding circumstances might be such as to give it an upward course for a short distance, when its source was much higher.

It is predicted that, in time to come, after the present generation has passed away, this "citrus belt" or "citrus twist" of California, both north and south, will still bring forth its fruit in greater abundance than now, and whether the Atlantic coast or the Pacific is more preferable as a place of residence will be settled forever, for the greater number of inhabitants on the Pacific coast then will speak for itself. Surprise will then be expressed that the forefathers could so long have lived, labored and died, in such an ice bound country as New England.

Pacific Coast.

NEWTON FREE LIBRARY. List of New Books.

Bishop, H H Pictorial Architecture of Greece and Italy.
Brassey, Lady Annie, The Last Voyage. age.
An account of the voyage to
India and Australia in 1887, in
the "Sunbeam." The volume,
published after Mrs Brassey's
death, was finished by her husband, and is beautifully illus-

Essay in Comparative Criticism.

"Compares the French people with a corresponding class in England and America. The book is a testimony to the French character, without being disagreeably critical to the American."—[Pub. Weekly, ner, A. W., and Tryon, T. Interior Decoration.

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Butler, W F Charles George Gor-

Butter, W.F. Charles. George Gordon.

The first volume of a series of biographies. English Men of Action, which will be confined to subjects of the BritishCrown who have been conspicuous for their actions in its service.

Collins, Wilkie. Poor Miss Finch.
Duleken, H. W. A. Popular History of England, from the Earliest Period to the Jubilee of Victoria, 1887.

Ellis, W. Narrative of a Tour throu'. Hawaii, with Remarks on History, 'Traditions, Manners, Customs and Language of the Inhabitants, [1823].

Gill, J. Systems of Education; a History and criticism of the Principles, Methods, etc., advocated by Eminent Education.

Hall, Mrs M, Queens before the Con-73.198 quest. 2v.
Howells, W.D. A. Little Girl among
the Old Masters,
Jackson, C. C., Lady The Court of
France in the Sixteenth Century—1514-159, 2 vols
Little, A.P. The World as We Saw

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Little, A.P. The World as We Saw it.

Mrs. Little and her party travelled across the continent to the Yacilian and from the need to the Yacilian and from the need to the Yacilian and Fundamental Truths; being a Treatise on Metaphysics.

Marx, K. Capital; a Critical Analysis of Capitalist Production; trans. by Saloore and E Aveling, and edited by F Engels
Matthews, H. The Diary of an Invalid; the Journal of a Tour in Pursuit of Health, in Portugal, Italy, Switzerland and France, 1817-19.

Mutholland, R. A Fair Emigrant.
Murray, D.C. and H. A. Dangerous Catspaw.
Rankine, W.J. M. A. Manual of Civil Engels, and the Catspaw.
Rankine, W.J. M. A. Manual of Civil England. R. A. Fair Emigrant.
David and St. Paul.
Reid, C. Bible Characters
Studies of Nehemiah, Jonah, Dowid and St. Paul.
Reid, J.J. The Industries of Japan, with an account of its Agriculture, Forestry, Arts and Commence of the Pussian Government Roberts, A and Donaldson J. ed., The Ante-Nicene Fathers; Translations of the Writings of the Fathers down to A. D., 325. American reprint of Edinburg ed., revised with Notes by A. C. Coxe. 9 vols.

Saunders, F. Stray Leaves of Literature.

Talbot, H. (Parke Danforth.) Not in the Prospectus.

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Taibot, H (Parke Danforth.) Not in the Prospectus. the Prospectus.
Williams, A B (Jak.) Who Saved the
Ship? [also] The Man of the
Family.

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New Music.

We have received from Messrs. White, Smith & Co., 538 and 576 Washington street, the following: The "Folio" for March, with a likeness of Mrs. Potter for a frontispiece; "Killaloo" schottische by B. M. Davidson; "Sounds from the Ball," by Ernest Gillet; Military Schottische, by C. H. Rowell: Overture from Said Pasha; "In the Twilight," by Gustav Lange; "The Dew Drop," by E. A. Fararger: four hand march, "Marche des Troubadours;" The new military schottische, or "Dancing on the Barn Floor," by J. Thomas Baldwin; "Afterwards." John W. Mullen; in C and B flat, "My Lady's Bower," by Hope Temple, in E flat; also 36 etudes for violin by Federico Fiorillo; and four secular pieces, "Remember the Glories," by Moore; "Avenging and Brights," by Moore; "Fly Not Yet," arr, by J. M. McLaughlin; "As a Beam o'er the Face of the Waters," by Moore.

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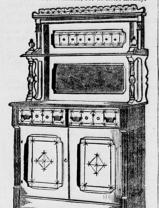
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NEWTON CENTRE.

—Mr. Wells Polley has returned from a two weeks' trip to Maine.

-We are sorry to hear that Mr. Charles Grout of Parker street is quite ill.

 Mr. Moses Stevens is in New Hampshire on business, for a few days.
 Rev. J. J. Peck supplied the Baptist pulpit last Sunday in New London, N. H. -Mr. Charles Everett of Parker street is in New York for a few days, on business. -The Newton Co-operative Bank will have a public meeting at City hall, March 12.

-Miss Florence Smith of Cypress street has lately purchased the house occupied by

—Mr. and Mrs. George M. Rice of Summer street had a little daughter born on Saturday last.

—Mrs. Hiram Blaisdell of Ward street is visiting her brother in Baltimore, for a week or two.

—Mr. Harry A. Tomlinson is expected home to-day from Washington, D. C., where he has been for the past week.

—Mrs. Robert R. Bishop is staying in Andover, Mass., at present, where one of her sons is in Phillips Academy.

-Miss Stevens will again engage in the millinery business here, and will be with Mr. H. S. Williams, after April 1st.

The Stebbins Social Aid Society met on Wednesday afternoon at the house of Mrs. James Gammans, Beacon street. -Mr. Charles E. Rand of Pelham street has this week moved into his new house by the junction of Parker and Boylston streets. -Rev. Mr. Savage of Watertown, brother of Rev. Minot S. Savage of Boston, ex-changed with Rev. H. L. Wheeler on Sun-

—Mr. Walter Thorpe has changed his residence to the house owned by him, lately occupied by Miss Huestis, on Pelham street.

—Mr. Jeremiah C. Kittredge has bought land on Gardner Road, Brookline, and in-tends building a large, handsome house there immediately.

-Messrs. Pearmain & Brooks, the well known brokers, have removed to their new banking rooms in the Merchants Bank Building, 28 State street, Boston.

-Prof. J. M. English will deliver an address at the Young People's meeting at the Baptist chapel on Tuesday, March 12th, at 7.45 p.m. All are invited, subject, "Human Depravity.

—President Alvah Hovey has just returned from Richmond, Va., where he has been visiting his son, Prof. George Hovey. President Hovey stopped in Washington on his way back.

—Mr. Ellis has taken from Crystal Lake
this year about eight thousand tons of ice,
making about ten thousand tons, now on
hand. This year's supply was from 8 to 10
inches in thickness.

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—The ladies of the Grace church choir attended a dinner party at Mr. George F. Richardson's, a few days since, followed by a pleasant drive on the extension beyond Chestnut Hill Reservoir.

—Col. E. H. Haskell has been in Washington this week, seeking speakers for the prohibitory campaign in this state. A number of prominent senators and congressmen have promised to come.

—Rev. Mr. Wheeler and Rev. Mr. Horn-brooke were guests at the opening of the Unitarian parish building in Water-town, Wednesday night, when most of the prominent Unitarian elergymen in this part of the state were present.

—After undergoing a thorough renovation the house known as the Polly house is reopened to accommodate those requiring home comforts at reasonable prices. Pleasant unfurnished suites for family use can be had with the best of table board.

It would be impossible, we think, to find anywhere more efficient post-office employes than those of this village, Messrs, Martin, Robinson and Richardson. Their unfailing courtesy and promptness receive highest commendation on every hand.

The Newton Centre branch of the Wo-men's Auxiliary will meet next Wednesday, March 13, at the house of Mrs. Augustus Ferry, Pleasant Street. At their last meet-ing the members were favored with an in-teresting address by Miss Sparhawk, on the Indian school at Carlisle.

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We have been told that the object of the amateur theatricals to be given in April is to aid the Women's Relief Corps of this city. This charity is as worthy as the Cottage Hospital and we hope the young people will feel as well rewarded for their labor as they were last month.

—A delegation of students from Cambridge called this week upon Dr. Mary E. Bates to offer the sympathy of the Harvard students and express their indignation towards the Newton Journal for publishing an article about Harry Bates, which they term "an outrageous lie from beginning to end."

—The people have learned with great regret of the resignation of Rev. H. L. Wheeler, pastor of the Unitarian church, who has made many warm friends here, both in and outside of his parish, where his labors have been very successful. The resignation has not yet been acted upon, we understand, by the church.

-The Neighbors' Club met on Monday evening at the residence of Neighbor Bar-ton on Beacon street. An able essay was read by Neighbor Huntington on the sub-ject, "Constitutional Treatment of a Public Evil." Among the guests of the evening were Mr. Emerson, superintendent of schools, Mr. Goodwin of the High School, Rev. Theodore Holmes, Mr. Harlow and others.

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—Benjamin Austin, a single man, 30 years old, living on Florence street, Boston, employed as a brakeman on the Boston & Albany railroad, was knocked off a train by a bridge near Chestnut Hill reservoir about 6.30 p.m. Wednesday, and had his skull fractured. He was taken to the Massachusetts General Hospital, but died just as he reached there.

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—The Improvement society gave an entertainment on Wednesday evening, in Associates' hall, which was very successful. Three hundred tickets were sold for it, but owing to the weather only about two hundred of the purchasers were present. The entertainment in part consisted of a tete-a tete sociable or basket pienie which created much fun. All the ladies attending brought baskets in which was a supper for two. These were placed on a three-sided table on the platform. Over the table was a line of large Japanese lanterns and they, with the fancy baskets, formed a very pretty picture. The ladies had taken a good deal of pains to have the baskets tasty, many of them having large bows of ribbon and artificial flowers At 9 o'clock, Mr. Avery L. Kand requested the gentlemen to form a line and march across the platform. Each in turn was given a number which matched a basket, the latter bearing the mame of its owner. A great deal of mirth was caused by the mixture of old and young in the tete-a-tetes. During the evening, a part of the Germania Band gave many fine selections. In one corner of the hall was a pagoda, used for the sale of buttonhole bonquets. Miss Mason, Miss Nickerson, Mrs. Flanders and Miss Marcia Sylvester were in charge and did a brisk business. The ladies who formed the com-

mittee and had charge of the baskets were Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Bartholemew, Mrs. Flanders, Mrs. Rice and Mrs. Shannon. At 10 o'clock, Mr. Dwight Chester, as president of the Improvement society, made a little speech, thanking all for their interestin and support of the society. The proceeds of the evening, \$100, will go to swell the play-ground fund. The gentlemen in charge were Messrs, J. W. Parker, W. M. Flanders, Benj, Hammond and Avery I., Rand.

Cooperative Bank Meeting, at City Hall, Tuesday Evening, March 12th.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

-Mr. W. V. Brigham has been ill for a few days.

-Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sadler have a daughter. -Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. King have a daughter.

—Mrs. Galacar of Hartford is visiting friends at the Highlands.

-Mrs. Shaw has been confined to the use by illness for several days. —Mr. S. W. Jones went to Washington to attend the inaugural ceremonies.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Strong have arrived home from their trip to Florida.

-Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Brown have been visiting in Washington for the month past. -No school in Master Moore's room on Monday forenoon, on account of his illness. -The Newton Co-operative Bank will have a public meeting at City hall, March 12.

-Mr. Blair, the plumber, has moved into the store lately occupied by Mr. Ste-

—Miss Stone has returned from a trip of two or three weeks to Washington and oth-er places.

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—Mrs. H. Waterson of Fairhaven, who
has been visiting her son, on Winchester
street, has returned home.

—Mrs. Whittemore received the Chautauqua Club this week. The neeting next
week will be with Mrs. E. J. Hyde.

-Mr. Moulton, the grocer, expects to cupy his new store on Saturday of week, where he will be pleased to see

—The Monday Club will meet with Miss Webster next Monday. Rev. W. S. Smith of Auburndale read a very valuable paper on Tolstoi before the club at their last meeting,

—We hear that Mr. C. A Peck of Newton Centre has been appointed assistant super-intendent of streets for Wards 5 and 6, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of his late father.

nns late father.

—A larger number of persons attended the morning services at the Congregational church last Sabbath than ever before. At the communion service in the afternoon, four persons were admitted to membership.

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—The interest developed by the special meetings at the Congregational Church under the preaching of Rev. N. H. Harriman is deepening and increasing. The object of his work seems to be to help men and women to an unconditional surrender of themselves to Christ. His methods are calm, earnest and straightforward. He is aided in his work by a choir and by the service of Mr. R. F. True, gospel singer. In spite of the rain the audiences have been large. The services are at 3.45 except on Saturday and Monday afternoon and at 7.30. All are invited.

—The Newton Highlands Base Ball Club.

7.30. All are invited.

—The Newton Highlands Base Ball Club-held its regular monthly meeting on Monday evening. March 4. During the winter, the club has kept its organization intact, meeting monthly for business and social purposes. Last season the club played fifteen match games, winning, thirteen a secord which they think entities them to the support of the citizens for the coming season. Arrangements have been made with Mr. Hyde for the use of the grounds, and as many games as possible will be played at home. The club has about twenty-five dollars in its treasury, but needs as much more, at least, for expenses this summer, and contributions from friends who promised their support, and from any others interested in the club, will be thankfully received by the treasuror.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—The Newton Co-operative Bank will have a public meeting at City hall, March 12.

The Pettee Machine Works are so full of lers that it necessitates their running

-Rev. Mr. Titus of Newton occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church on Sunday last.

—There is to be a social party in Prospect hall on Friday evening, March 15, under the management of Mr. J. B. Newell.

—Mr. Bernard Billings was one of the many thousands who witnessed the inau-guration ceremony at Washington the first of the week.

—The Christian Endeavor society will resume its Young People's prayer meeting, next Wednesday evening at 7.30, in the Baptist vestry. —Miss Hattie Easterbrook, for so long a time clerk for Mr. W. O. Colburn, is very dangerously sick at the house of her sister, Mrs. H. A. Smith.

—The ninth week of the union revival services was commenced on Monday even-ing at the Baptist church, conducted by the Davidson brothers of Auburndale.

—Rev. George W. Holman of Montville, Conn., will preach at the Baptist church, next Sunday. Morning worship at 10.45. Sunday school at close of morning service.

—The union revival services, which have now continued for seven weeks, will close Sunday with a preaching service at the Methodist church, at 6.30 p. m. preceded by a prayer meeting at 6 p. m.

—The officers of the Newton Co-operative bank explained the system to a large gath-ering in Prospect hall on Monday evening, and at the close of the meeting the secre-tary sold nearly 200 shares in the second se-ries, which is about to begin.

—The latest acquisition of the Worcester Base Ball club is Larry Daniels of Newton Upper Falls. He is about 25 years of age and has had plenty of experience. In 1887 he caught for the Baltimore club, and last season for Kansas City. He is highly recommended by such men as Manager Seley and McCarthy of the St. Louis Browns.

procured a warrant for Shea, and he will be arraigned, together with Carney, in the Needham police court for participating in a prize fight. Several of the spectators of the mill have also been arrested.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—W. P. Holden has sold out his grocery store to John H. Hoyt of Auburndale. The Newton Co-operative Bank will have a public meeting at City hall, March 12.

—George Smith has received the contract for building a house for Mr. Howard or Cedar street.

—Miss Minerva Leland, assistant teacher at the High school, is suffering from an attack of tonsilitis. —A buggy, belonging to Mrs. McIntosh which was passing on Walnut street, was upset and badly demolished on Tuesday

—Rumor hath it that the post-office will soon change hands. The name of E. E. Moody is prominently mentioned as a can-didate for the office of P. M.

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—Mr. Rogers, a driver for Bullard's express, missed his footing while jumping on his wagon and fell under the wheels, which passed over him, injuring him severely.

—Special Officer Seaver of the B. & A. did another good piece of detective work last week. A young firl came to the depot and tried to beg a ride to Boston, stating that her parents lived there, but she could not give their address and on being closely examined by Mr. Seaver, said she lived in Natick and gave an address, and by the use of the telegraph, he found out that she did live there and was a girl who ran away from home and a Natick officer was immediately sent to bring her back.

NONANTUM.

—Joseph Jasmine is the happiest man in the village just now. -A little child of Mr. Ellis Davis died quite suddenly last Saturday night.

-The death of Officer Geo. E. F. Bake causes a good deal of regret in this village -Mr. Frank Gatchell, who recently opened a barber shop here, has removed to Plymouth, Mass.

The young ladies hold their entertainment this evening, and expect to have a crowded house.

—The young ladies of the North church give a musical entertainment at the church this evening, followed by refreshments in the chapel.

—One hundred and thirteen persons from this village attended the banquet given by the Sons of St. George at Waltham last Friday night. It was a grand success. -Wednesday morning the large mill of the Nonantum Worsted company was obliged to suspend work for a couple of hours on account of the lack of steam pres-

—California street from Chapel to Bridge streets has been utterly impassible for a loaded team during the whole of this week, and even empty teams have been obliged to take the sidewalks, to the discomfort of pedestrians,

The Sunday school of the North church appropriated the sum of fourteen dollars last Sunday towards the repairs on the church, making thirty-four dollars the school has given to the parish within six months past.

months past.

—Mr. Hudson has one hundred yards of broad cloth in half-yard pieces, which he is offering this week at 45 cents a yard, the regular price of which has been one dollar. Only one hundred yards to close; also tricots at 30 cents a yard.

—Last Sunday morning, Rev. Mr. Lamb preached an excellent sermon, the subject being "manliness." Some fifty members of the order of St. George attended church in a body, as is their custom, on the Sunday after their anniversary. They will attend Christ church, Waitham, on St. George's day on invitation of Rev. Mr. Fales.

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—Michael Kinchilla, 9years of age, while fishing on Silver Lake pond, Friday afternoon, went through the ice. Edward Burke and John Rotchford, who happened to be near by, went to the little fellow's rescue. Burke crawled out over the ice, and while securely held by Rotchford, succeeded in pulling the boy out, after he had gone down for the second time. Young Kinchilla was taken to his home, and was resuscitated through the efforts of his parents, aided by citizens. The ice was very thin where the accident occurred, and but for the prompt and courageous conduct of Burke and Rotchford, the boy would have been drowned.

The Newton Real Estate Association. There was a lively debate in the House, Wednesday, over the bill to incorporate the Newton Real Estate Association with \$150,000 capital, and a charter to run for 30 years. Mr Mellen of Worcester, who \$150,000 capital, and a charter to run for 30 years. Mr Mellen of Worcester, who has always opposed such bills, and was a dissenter from the report of the committee, took the floor against this also, urging his well-known objections to the acquiring of real estate by corporations. He moved to limit the association to Middlesex county alone. Messrs. Bottum of Northampton and Slocum of Newton defended the poiicy of encouraging enterprises of this sort, and of giving young men a chance to combine capital as an offset to the millionaires. Mr. Atwood of Boston opposed the bill. Mr. Blume of Boston believed it was bad policy to establish land companies of this sort. Mr. Brooks of Springfield opposed the bill, saying that such a company should be chartered only when there was a great exigency, and such exigency has not been shown. Mr. Wyman of Hyde Park urged the House to pass the bill for the benefit of speculators and for the benefit of the public, for it is the speculators who have helped greatly the development of the country. Mr. Sprout of Worcester provoked applause by a warm defence of the state's policy of prohibiting the holding of real estate by speculative corporations. Mr. Baker of Malden insisted that it was good policy to pass the bill. Mr. Slocum of Newton held that English precedents had no force in this country. Mr. Cook of Weymouth opposed the bill. By 62 to 90, the House rejected Mr. Mellen's amendment, and ordered the bill to a third reading.

The following is the proposed amendment to the constitution of this state, to be voted upon April 22d:

The manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors to be used as a beverage, are prohibited. The general court shall enact suitable legislation to enforce the provisions of this article.

In consulting a physician you must first have perfect confidence in his ability; that is half the battle, and nothing inspires confidence like success. This is the cause of the large patronage that Dr. Berkeley F. Howard of 37 Tiemont street enjoys. One good feature of this eminent doctor's work—for it shows that he works for the good of mankind rather than money—is the free consultation he gives daily to the poor. Such a man ought to succeed.—[Boston Commonwealth.

A PROPOSED ANNEXATION.

HALL MORSE'S FIFLD BE ADDED TO NEW TON OR RETAINED BY WATERTOWN.

To the Editor of the Boston Herald The district known as Morse's Field is part of the town of Watertown, physically disconnected from the rest of the town by the Charles River, and commercially and socially a part of Newton. Owners of property in this district perceive that this district, desirable for residence, with abundant natural advantages does not

this district, desirable for residence, with abundant natural advantages does not have its fair proportion of the growth and prosperity by which it is flanked on both sides. It gains little or nothing by being a part of Watertown, and loses a great deal by not being a part of Newton. It is not only owners of property that see the district hampered by an unnatural attachment, but tenants are unable to avail themselves of the public benefits of the centre to which they naturally belong, and with which they desire to be formally united. The United States does not recognize the absurdity of Watertown being the centre for this detached district, but sends all the mail for it to Newton.

Residents in the district while using the railroad station at Watertown, and using also the Newton postoffice are not able to avail themselves of the nearest public schools, etc.

The only original cause for the attaching of this district to Watertown was to protect the ancient fish weirs. Such a reason is now obsolete, and the only possible ground for objecting to annexation is a dog-in-the-manger policy on the part of Watertown. I am credibly informed that Watertown has spent large sums of money contrary to law to prevent the annexation. Not only would the residents of the district be benefited, but the people of Newton would be benefited by the annexation of a territory which should from the first have belonged to Newton. This annexation should be authorized, not merely as an act of tardy justice to this district, but as a sound, necessary measure of public policy.

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At a meeting of the wardens and ves try of St. Mary's church held on Sexagesima Sunday February 24, 1889, it was resolved, That a suitable expression of respect and affection for the late Isaac Hagar, whose funeral took place on the afternoon of that day, be prepared and placed on the records.

The rector being absent in North Carolina, forwarded the following resolutions which were adopted on Quinquagesima sunday, March 3, 1889. The rector, war-dens and vestry of St. Mary's church, desirous of placing on their records some suitable expression of their great loss in the death of the late Isaac Hagar, and their esteem and respect for his memory, adopted the following resolu-tions:

memory, adopted the following resolutions:

Resolved, That in the departure of our friend and parishoner, so long associated with St. Mary's Parish, for so many years Senior Warden and Treasurer, and till the last alive to its best interests, we recognize a bereavement and loss which touches us ueeply and removes from us one to the senior of the seni

fection.

The last months have shown us the beautiful, peaceful close of a well ordered life. His work finished, his Master hastened to say. "Well done good and faithful servant, enter thou into the joy of the Lord."

Resolved, That a copy of this memorial be forwarded to the widow of the departed, and also printed in the "Churchman" and the local papers.

oers.
A true copy. Attest, WILLIAM P. MORSE,
Parish Clerk, St. Mary's Episcopal Society
Newton Lower Falls, Mass.

Cooperative Bank Meeting, at Cit Hall, Tuesday Evening, March 12th.

Precautionary measures: Minister (from the pulpit) "As the air of the church seems chilly, I would ask the sexton if he would kindly close the front doors and windows of the building. The collection will now be taken up."—[Harper's Bazar.

er's Bazar.

Fond mother—"Doctor, what seems to be the cause of Willie's trouble?" Doctor—"Some foreign substance in the stomach. I should say." Fond mother—"Oh, yes—those dreadful Irish potatoes! I will tell our grocer to-morrow that he activate was their use some toes! I will tell our grocer to-morrow that he positively must bring us some American potatoes."—[Burlington Free Press.

A Kentucky gentleman, who recently came to Washington to consult with his member of Congress about an office under the new administration, was asked yesterday by a gentleman from Boston whether it is really rue that the people of Kentucky are so very bibulous. "Bibulous!" said the Kentuckian. "Bibulous! I don't reckon you could find a dozen Bibles in the whole state."—[Washington Post.

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Mr. Plummer Replies to Mr. Allen.

On Monday evening last the question for debate before the West Newton Ly ceum was upon "Free admission of raw materials." The negative was taken by Mr. James T. Allen, who instead of speaking about the matter (other than an incidental remark about wool and more about salt) took occasion to denounce every voter, who in the last election pre-ferred President Cleveland to General Harrison. He became so enthusiastic as to indulge in language of great improprito induge in language of great impropri-ety and gained the point he evidently had in view (when accepting the invita-tion to speak upon the subject) and that point was, "Denunciation of the Com-mittee of One Hundred Independent Re-publicans." This body represent the thinking intelligent element of our city and is entirely free form control of and is entirely free from control of ma-chine politicians or the "party whip." When Mr. Allen says, "These men have been whipped into subjection," it only shows how little he knows; for since the recent election, the cause of tariff reform has grown wonderfully, and, for a body of whipped men, they continue to pre-sent a very imposing appearance. I intended to say this, but was prevented by my friend Walton, who caught the eye of the chairman and consumed the few re-maining moments allotted to speakers. Alas, for Messrs. Allen and Walton, es pecially the latter, whose speech was so far removed from the question under discussion, that even his life-long friend, Nath'l T. Allen, arose in his seat and asked him, "what point he was trying to make." The speech was unworthy of so intelligent a gentleman as Mr. Walton. intelligent a gentleman as Mr. Walton. If Mr. Allen would interview manufacturers of woolen goods he would find that foreign wool is necessary to use in connection with domestic production, and as for coarse wools used in making carpets, Daniel Webster said nearly 50 years ago, "That there was not a sheep in the United States but would be ashamed to have such stuff upon its back." Consequently we raise no wool that comes in competition, and the present duty imposed is entirely unnecessary and simply increases the cost of carpets to our own people and prevents the exportation

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"It is not pleasant," said a Massachu-chusetts Congressman yesterday, "to see the entente cordiale that exists between Colonel Lamont and Halford?" "Y-y-yes," replied the Arkansas member, du-biously, "but I don't see how private secretaries can afford such luxuries when we Congressmen can't go anything high-



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NEWTON.

—The M. P. M. will have a sociable at Cole's Hall, Saturday evening. -Eliot Church is now thrown open to visitors one hour every Sunday.

—Mrs. Joshua Baker of Sargent street gave a very pleasant dinner party last even-ing.

—It is runnored that Letter-Carrier James Dunn has drawn a prize in the Louisiana lottery.

-Nonantum Colony will give a basket party in Cole's hall, Monday evening, March 25. -Mr. Walter H. Barker of Newton has been elected an active member of the T. L. S. society

-Miss Carrie A. Wellington is visiting Miss Birdie Stoddard in Washington, D. C.

—Dr. Field delivered a lecture upon California in a course before the pupils of Monson Academy, Tuesday evening.

—The watering cart would have been a great blessing this week, for all who had occasion to encounter the clouds of dust. —Rev. Fayette Nichols married Miss Angle Carter and Dr. Suerman at Milford, yesterday. The young couple will reside in Quincy.

-The McAll Mission Club of the Baptist church will give a concert Thursday even-ing, April 4th, in the auditorium of the church.

—A sheriff's sale of jewelry was held in Whitman's stable last Saturday with but few bidders, although the goods brought fair prices.

—Mr. Thomas B. Fitts and daughter from New York have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Fitts and friends this last week.

—Rev. Dr. Calkins left on Tuesday for a three weeks' vacation, which he will spend on a sailing vessel, making a voyage to the West Indies and return.

—The Monday club met on Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr.H.C. llarden. Mr. A. S. Weed gave an interesting paper on "An Old Philosopher." -Mr. H. J. Woods is building an addition to the Latta house, corner of Church and Richardson streets, and making other im-provements on the property.

—Rev. T. P. Sawin, brother of Mr. H. C. Sawin of the Bigelow school, will preach at Eliot Hall.Sunday morning and evening, in the absence of Rev. Dr. Calkins.

—Judge Pitman gave the address, "Re-trospect and Prospect," at the 100th corpo-rate meeting of the Appalachian Mountain Club, in Boston, Monday evening.

—A special election of Company C was held at its armory on Monday evening, and 1st Sergt. Cordingly was unanimously chos-en second lieutenant, to fill a vacancy.

—Arthur A. Glines, the photographer, has sold out his Newton studio, which he has occupied for the last nine years, to Mr. W. H. Partridge of Boston Highlands, who took possession Thursday. —Dr. Madison Bunker has been elected representative to the Supreme Council Pil-grim Fathers, and Dr. Arthur Hudson has been elected a permanent representative member of the supreme council.

—An alarm was rung in from box 52, at 8.45 o'clock Wednesday morning, for a fire in Waban, which burned over five acressof meadow land and destroyed an outbuilding on the estate of Mrs. E. J. Collins.

—The monthly address before the Christ-tian Endeavor Society of the Methodist church will be delivered next Sunday even-ing at 7.30. The subject will be, "The Value of Decision of Character," The pastor, Rev. F. Nichols, will be the speaker.

Mr. McGuinness has given up the contract for delivering library books, which wer the has performed for seven years, and Alderman Kennedy has madearrangements to have the work done temporarily by Mr. Laffle.

—The meeting of the Y. M. C. A. next Sunday will be in charge of the young peo-ple's society of Christian Endeavor of the Eliot church. The notice of last Sun-day's meeting was not received in time for publication.

publication.

Conductor Wise saved a woman's life who jumped from the train at Huntington avenue, while intoxicated, a few days ago. He succeeded in dragging her from under the whacels and was rempelled to walk from Huntington avenue to the terminas in Boston, the train having passed by.

Mayor, Borr and Superintendent Em-

—Mayor Burr and Superintendent Emerson spent two days at the Bigelow school this week, investigating the methods of teaching and the progress made by the pupils. Mayor Burr is making a thorough visitation of all the grammar schools in the city.

.—The Claffin Guards went to Quincy, Wednesday night, to participate in the drill of four companies of the 5th regiment by companies. Major Benyon had charge and put the men through with a "snap" that pleased many veterans. Company C had 24 men under Capt. Applin. mad 24 men under Capt. Appin.

—Miss Eames, formerly of the Channing church choir, made her debut in opera in Paris last night, appearing as Juliet. It is reported that she scored a remarkable triumph. The role of Romeo was taken by M. Dereszle. Minister McLane and many other members of the American colony were present.

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—Alderman Tyler and wife are at Los Angeles, where they will remain until the middle of April, after which they will visit San Francisco and Northern California, returning home by way of Canada. A recent letter from him speaks of the very pleasant weather, and the greatly improved —The decoration of the interest in view of the california, returning home by way of Canada. A recent letter from him speaks of the very pleasant weather, and the greatly improved —The decoration of the interest in view of the canada and the greatly improved the control of the city Clerk on the question of Licensing the sale of Intoxicating Liquors, will be be of interest in view of the canada and the call the city Clerk on the question of Licensing the sale of Intoxicating Liquors, will be be of interest in view of the canada and the city Clerk on the question of Licensing the sale of Intoxicating Liquors, will be be of interest in view of the canada and the city Clerk on the question of Licensing the sale of Intoxicating Liquors, will be be of interest in view of the canada and the city Clerk on the question of Licensing the sale of Intoxicating Liquors, will be be of interest in view of the canada and the city Clerk on the question of Licensing the sale of Intoxicating Liquors, will be be of interest in view of the canada and the city Clerk on the city Clerk on the city Clerk on the question of Licensing the sale of Intoxicating Liquors, will be be of interest in view of the canada and the city Clerk on th

health of Mrs. Tyler.

—The decoration of the interior of the Eliot Church building is nearly completed, and the staging is being removed. One of the large chandelers has been put in place, and the stage chandelers has been put in place, and provide the large chandelers has been put in place, and provide the large memorial windows will be out in during the coming week. The decorating is being done by L. Haberstroh & Son of 9 Park street, Boston.

— The Newton Bicycle Club, at the office
of W. W. Stall, No. 509 Tremont street,
Tuesday evening, elected the following:
President, Freelon Morris; vice-president,
Herbert A. Fuller; secretary, William W.
Stall; treasurer, Edwin T. Martin, captain,
F. Stedman Wilson; ist lieut, H. A. Hendelm, G. Stedman, Wilson; J. B. Barker, E. E.
H. Elison, Louis A. Hall and George H.
Hastings. A supper and speaking followed.

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lowed.

—Houghton, Mifflin & Co. have delayed for a week the publication of the work on "Profit Sharing," by Rev. N. P. Gilman of West Newton, announced for March 16. This is done that the book may be brought out first in London, Priority of issue secures a copyright in Great Britain; Macmillan & Co., are the English publishers. They have engaged several hundred copies. The subject is one attracting general interest in England. We shall present a full review of the work in our next issue.

—The Chapming Literary Living Pays their

"The Channing Literary Union gave their last entertainment for the season, Thursday evening. Two seenes from "The Hunchback" were charmingly given by Mrs. Stearns and Mr. Conkey. The amusing farce of "Incompatibility of Temper" was acted in a spirited manner by Mr. Taylor, Mrs. Thompson and Miss Soule

"Lend me Five Shillings" concluded the entertainment, in which Mr. Conkey, Mr. Russell, Mr. Brackett, Mr. Soule, Mr. Hall, Miss Peterson and Miss Angier gave a capital rendering of their parts. There was a large audience present. The annual meeting for the election of officers will be held Saturday evening.

Saturday evening.

—Mr. Chas. F. Rand had begun to sit up thro the day and receive his friends, when lest Sunday night he suffered a slight lput unmistakable attack of inflammatory freumatism, as sudden and unexpected as it was unconnected with anythingipertaining to his previous illness, which gave a set back to his convalescence. His strong constitution, however, has already started him afresh on the road to health, and it is believed that the good weather of our early spring will soon permit his friends to welcome him in his former haunts and restore him to the management of the active business he has so long conducted in our midst.

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ness he has so long conducted in our midst.

—The sociable at the Baptist church Thursday evening was especially for the children and young people. A supper was served at six, at which over one hundred children were at the table at one time, and after supper a prestidigitateur furnished an entertainment. After the little ones had gone home a concert followed with songs by Miss Hammond and Mr. Buffum, and piano solos by Mr. Johnson. A company of young ladies then gave a representing the former year being in costume with Miss Sheppard as leader, which concluded with the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner," by Miss Bowers, dressed in the stars and stripes. There was a very large attendance and the entertainment was very successful.

The New Directory.

The Newton Directory for 1889 has been issued this week by the publishers, Drew, Allis & Co., of Worcester, and is the eleventh in their series of Newton directories. They first began in 1868, and the volumn for that year contained only 3,287 names, against 9,812 in the book for this year: The directory shows a net gain of only 350 names since 1887, which does not argue very rapid growth, in spite of the great number of new houses built during these two years. However, with the Newton Co-operative bank and the projected street railway, which are promised this season, Newton ought to show a very this season, Newton ought to show a very large increase by the time the next volume large increase by the time the next volume appears. The movable character of a large portion of our population is shown by the fact that over one-fourth of the names in the last volume were erased in making up the present one, and that 3,062 new names were added this year. Many people come here and rent a house for a year or two and then move away again to some other subhere and rent a house for a year or two and then move away again to some other suburb or to Boston. The special feature of the book this year is the street directory, which has been prepared with great care, and gives the list of all the residents on a street, as nearly correct as it was possible to make them, and which will add much to the convenience of the directory. The street numbers are also given as far as the streets and houses have been furnished with them. The book contains in addition a great deal of information about the city, the list of city officials, schools and teachers, specieties, churches, and other information, which makes it almost indispensable to every resident. The price of the directory is \$2.

Fine Job Printing.

Mr, W. W. Wood, who started the GRAPHIC as the Newton Republican as little over seventeen years ago, and who was connected with it for two years when it was owned by Mr. Charles F. Rand, will return to Newton next Monday and take charge of the Job Printing department of the Graphic. Mr. Wood department of the GRAPHIC. Mr. Wood has been a successful printer for many years, and for several years he has pub-lished the Middleboro News, which he has recently sold. He made many rriends in Newton while in business here previhas recently soid. He mane many friends in Newton while in business here previously, and they will be glad to welcome him back again. The Job Printing part of the GRAPHIC'S business has shown a remarkable growth during the past two years, and with the latest improved presses and new type, we are now prepared to do any kind of work from book or pamphlet printing to business cards. The city reports for this year are said by competent judges to compare favorably with the work of the Rand Avery Company last year, and samples of work and estimates will be furnished on application. The Graphic office is on the first floor, which has proved a great convenience to customers, as most printing offices are up two or three flights of stairs, and its location opposite the Newton National Bank is in one of the most central business sections of Newton.

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1883	1594	183	940	757	471
1885	2321	165	1176	1011	980
1886	2240	239	1181	942	820
1887	2455	258	1540	1282	657
1888	2825	353	1563	1210	909

In 1882 six more votes were cast on the License question than for Mayor, but in subsequent years, a very large number who voted for municipal officers failed to vote on the question of License.

Ornamental Trees.

The Newton Cemetery nurseries have a fine stock of ornamental trees and shrubs, also greenhouse and bedding plants. Mr. Ross always has on excellent stock of healthy plants, and invites all in want of such trees, shrubs or plants to call upon him. See advertisement.

If you are out of employment, or if you are working for small pay, we would advice you to write at once to J. Austin Shaw, Nurseryman, Brooklyn, N. Y., as he desires a good man to tepresent his house in this locality, and will offer you a permanent position and at good pay. No experience is needed. If you are honest and are willing to work is all that is required. Write to-day and commence at once.

FLOURISHING NEWTON INDUSTRY.

SOME THINGS SEEN IN A VISIT TO THE GAMEWELL FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH FACTORY.

Newton, although a residential city, possesses many industries that provide employment for skilled mechanics in various manufacturing enterprises. Perhaps, the most interesting industry in this city is the manufacture of the delicate implements and machinery which are utilized in electrical apparatus. A representative of the Graphic recently visited the establishment of the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company, located at Newton Highlands, and was shown through the various departments where the workmen were busily employed in formulating the fire alarm tele-graphic machinery which so quickly communicates the news of danger from fire and brings to the scene of the con-flagration the courageous firemen who brave great personal dangers in the saving of life and property. Here, also, the machinery which is used in the police signal system is manufactured and one is amazed at the numberless, yet simple appliances that combined through inventive skill produce such wonderful

But this is the age of progress; one becomes accustomed to accept the in-ventor's skill as a matter of course and little thought is paid to the development of the crude idea to the perfect and use-ful machine. To wander over the factory where such machinery is perfected is to gain a broader knowledge and clearer insight into the progressive field of me-chanic arts where brains and skill are the requisite and essential qualities that shall fit the workman for his daily task. The delicate character of the machinery manufactured requires the utmost nicety in execution and finish, for perfection in detail must be attained in order to com-

plete the perfect machine.

One cannot help feeling a natural pride that such an institution should be successfully carried on in his own city, especially as the employes are Newton men many of whom were born here and educated in our public schools. The Game-well factory, therefore, although it sup-plies the electrical alarm machinery to the leading cities and towns of the United States and foreign lands, is purely to us a local institution, fostered and de-veloped through the genius and skill of Newton's inventors and mechanics.

Dr. William F. Channing of Boston and Mr. Moses G. Farmer of Salem were the first gentlemen to successfully employ electricity for giving instantaneous, uni versal and definite alarms in case of fire In June, 1851, their plan was accepted by the City of Boston and an appropriation made to test the experiment. Progress was necessarily slow and it was a year before the first official fire-alarm was

made to test the experiment. Progress was necessarily slow and it was a year before the first official fire-alarm was sounded by electricity. About the year 1855, Messrs, Gamewell & Co. became proprietors of all the patents of Channing & Farmer for the south and west and shortly after for the entire country. Since that time, Messrs, Gamewell & Co. made many improvements in the system and the present company, of which Mr. John N. Gamewell of the old firm is superintendent, now own over 200 patents and possess the most complete and perfected electric-alarm system in use.

A description of the machinery seen in process of manufacture at the factory will be read with interest. The fire-alarm telegraph consists of a central or battery station, the wire circuits which connect the central station with the street signal boxes and the alarm apparatus, consisting of electro-mechanical bell strikers in church or other towers, electro-mechanical bell strikers in church or other towers, electro-mechanical bell strikers in church or other towers, electro-mechanical wong-strikers located in engine houses, public buildings and residences of fire department officials, and indicators showing in plain figures the number of the signal box from which an alarm originates. In Newton, where the Gamewell system is in use and where it has been demonstrated a practical success, by many years of use, there are eight electro-mechanical bell strikers. The steel bearings of this machinery and, in fact, all the electrical machine play into gan metal and the workmanship is first-class in every particular.

The signal boxes are of various forms and sizes. All the fire-alarm street signal boxes are made of cast iron, cottaged shaped and contain clock work with spring or weight motors so arranged as to open and close an electric circuit a definite number of times at certain intervals, indicating by the number of blow quring the workmanship is first-class in every particular.

The signal boxes are of various forms and sizes, all the electrical mac shuts off the magnet, preventing in jury from electric light and other strong currents. The company manufactures also a keyless box, the door being opened by turning a handle on the outside. The mechanism is so arranged that the door cannot be opened unless the handle is fully turned, a partial turn not being sufficient although it will cause a large gong inside the door to ring. This prevents giving false alarms, as one who is willfully attempting to give a false alarm stops turning the handle upon the first sound of the bell within, the noise calling the attention of all in the vicinity to the attempt.

Among the appliances used in connection with the system may be mentioned the Stover switch, used to test the box electrically and mechanically, without sending an alarm outside of that box. There is also mechanism which is used for protection from electric light or other powerful currents, consisting of a

magnet which attracts an armature and breaks the current, thus preventing the burning out of coils. The galvanometer is an instrument for indicating the power of the current. The face of the machine is marked off into degrees and a delicate needle indicates the strength of the current. The needles are gold plated and jewelled and all the parts, even the jewels, are made in Newton. The lightning arrester and key combined is a very simple and compact arrangement for discharging atmospheric electricity and grounding the circuit on either side of the apparatus, or cutting it out entirely by means of a plug normally placed in the centre of the ground plate combined with a simple break-circuit key. The automatic repeater is a mechanical device so arranged that a signal on any one circuit is instantly repeated on all the others; but if that signal is caused by a break of the wire, the repeater, after sounding one blow on the other circuits, throws the one disabled out of service, leaving the others intact. The indicator which is used for both the fire-alarm and police-alarm signal systems is placed in the engine station or wagon house and throws up the number of the box pulled. The woodwork cases of the various machines are handsome in design and finish, and the general character of the machinery itself indicates thorough workmanship. Through inventive skill machinery has been introduced which enables the Gamewell company to cut gear patterns and plates exactly alike so that parts of machines even made years before can be perfectly duplicated at any time.

While the writer was looking over the establishment he found in the shipping room numberless cases containing police-alarm and fire-alarm apparatus ready to be shipped to various points in the United States, Chicago, San Francisco, Brooklyn, Jacksonville, Minneapolis and Montreal being among the places to which the company happened to be sending machinery on that day.

Large numbers of police-signal boxes and fire-alarm boxes were awaiting their exterior coating of

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Lasell Notes.

Miss Colburn and friend recently alled on Miss Harding. Miss Marion Talbet continues her lec-tures upon "Sanitation." On Wednesday she spoke still further upon "Ventilation."

Mr. N. T. Corey, who was to give a course of lectures on the Nibelungen Trilogy, is ill with pneumonia, and the lectures are postponed.

Mrs. H. N. Noyes and her eldest little grandson were out at the school for a short time on Wednesday the 13th. Mrs. Noyes is about to visit an afflicted relative in New Hampshire. Mr. and Mrs. Bragdon when last heard from were on their way to Fort Worth, Texas, to visit Prof. and Mrs. Hogg, par-ents of Miss Lulie, who graduated last year, and Miss Nannie, a present pupil.

The cooking class were taught to prepare boneless chicken, chicken salad, and mayonnaise dressing. The dinner last week was mock bisque soup, reast lamb, spaghetti and tomatto sauce, mashed potatoes, lettuce, fruit, tapicca.

Dr. Kent has been entertaining her mother, Mrs. A. M. Kent, and two English ladies, one the wife of Prof. Smith of the Institute of Technology. The other, Miss Craevn from Bradford, England, grand-daughter of John Ingham, a celebrated English dyer.

on Sunday the "Y,s" were addressed by Miss Bessie Gordon upon the Prohibitory movement in Temperance. She explained the interests that are at stake, and the opposition which is making a success in New Hampshire. Her explanations made the matter nucle clearer to many who do not read much about it, or attend the meetings, and all were much interested. Several of the members read and sung.

On Thursday evening, March 7, Mr. Leland T. Powers, engaged by the Lasellia Club, gave some of his character impersonations at Lasell Seminary. The play is "David Garrick" in three acts, and with eleven characters to be represented. Mr. Powers shows great ability to pass from one type into another, from the weatzened old East Indian merchant with a cracked voice and choleric tempor with a cracked old East Indian merchant with a cracked voice and choleric temper, to his graceful and accomplished daughter; from the dignified Garrick to the empty-headed fop, one seems to see all these personages. The proceeds of the evening's entertainment are devoted to the Berlin fund, to establish an American chapel in that city, Mr and Mrs. Tibblits (nee Mabel Bliss,) Boston, were among the guests of that evening. Mrs. and Miss. Cleaveland from Newton with Mrs. Sarah Cushman, who is passing the winter with Mrs. Cleaveland, took tea with Mrs. Shepherd on that evening, but could not remain to the performance.

Manual Training.

The Milford Journal says: "In speaking of manual training in the public schools, it is Mayor Burr of Newton who asserts that the place to learn carpentry is in the carpenter's shop and cooking in the kitchen. In other words, practical, every day experience, learning as you go, with now and then a kick or a cuff just to keep the blood circulating, works out better, more enduring results than folderol theories encased between the two covers of a text-book. Manual Training.

THE COMMON COUNCIL.

A VERY FAVORABLE CONTRACT WITH THE GAS COMPANY.

The Common Council met Monday evening, President Bond in the chair, and all the members present except Councilman Hamblen. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Business from the board of aldermen was disposed of in concurrence.

PETITIONS were received from residents on Grove Hill Avenue to have the sidewalks gradenstructed and concreted; from F. W. Turner, and E. F. Melchor, to have Norwood avenue graded so that surface water would run off and not stand on the street; from J. H. Sanborn and others, stating that Chase street had had no money spent upon it for many years and was in very bad condition, having been was in very bad contained in a wet sea-son made a very bad road, and they asked that that the street be put in good condition. Residents of Walnut street, Ward 5, asked for a fire alarm signal box.

CHARLES WARD POST RECEPTION. An invitation was received from Chas. Ward Post 62., G.A.R., inviting the mayor and city council to a reception to be held March 21, at 7.30, at their hall in Newtonville. The invitation was accepted on motion of Councilman Moody. WATER MAINS.

WATER MAINS.

Councilman Wiswall presented an order from the water board, for 469 feet of 12 inch main on Chestnut street, Ward Five, at a cost of \$1,024, to be laid under a guarantee of what an 8-inch main would cost, and an order was passed to that effect by a unanimous yea vote. The cost was charged to the water construction account,

Another order was passed appropriating \$5,000 for labor in laying of water mains, to be charged to same account.

STREET LIGHTING FOR 1889.

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Councilman Fenno from the street light committee, presented the terms of a contract with the Newton and Water-town Gas Company, for three years, and an order was passed authorizing the mayor to sign a contract as follows:

For 72 or more arc lights, of 1200 candle power, to burn all night, at \$100 each per year.

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For 72 or more are lights, of 1200 candle power, to burn all night, at \$100 each per year.

Four hundred and fifty or more incandescent lights of 25 candle-power, to burn until 12.30 a.m., for \$13.50 per year.

Seven hundred and fifteen or more gas lamps, to burn until midnight, at \$12 for 4-foot burners, or \$14 for 6-foot burners.

Fifty kerosene lamps to burn all night, at \$10.50 per year.

All the lights to be lighted 20 nights per month, on what is called the moon schedule, and on dark and cloudy nights, the lights to be lift on the order of the fire committee or the city marshal without extra charge, and the gas company to make all repairs, changes of posts, etc., and erection of new ones at their own expense.

Councilman Fenno said that at present we had 72 are lights, 715 gas and 509 oil lamps, and they had cost the city \$27,000 the past year. The cost of the lights under the new contract would be \$22,475, a saving of \$4,525. This would allow for an increase in the number of lights, much better service, and at the same time a good balance would remain of the appropriation at the end of the year. At present all renewals and repairs are at the expense to the city. It was thought best to allow the gas lamps to remain as at present, substituting 6 foot for the 4foot burner if thought necessary, and have incandescent lamps take the place of the oil lamps. The street committee had given much time to the matter, had held many meetings and interviews with the gas company, and had urged upon the representative of the committee had listened to gentlemen who havored having the city put in its own plant, but the committee were unanimously in favor of the contract reported, and thought it was one of the best if not the best contract that the city had ever made.

In reply to Councilman Hyde, Mr. Fenno stated that 6 foot gas burners were considered equal to 25 candle -power incandescent lights. The order for the acceptance of the contract passed unanimously and the council adjourne

A Teu Per Cent Investment.

Prominent among the good New England investments the past_year is the Stock of the Atkinson House-Eurnishing Company of Maine. Although not listed nor advertised, yet it has gradually come to the front from the solid fact of its own goodness, as demonstrated by the dividends paid. This corporation was organized under the laws of Maine in 1887 and has never fulled to pay 5 per cent every January and July to its stockholders, besides earrying a large amount to aurplus fund. From enquiry we learn that it is the only corporation of its kind in New England, and there seems to be no reason for doubting the ability of the company to continue to pay 5 per cent mpany to continue to pay 5 per cent ery six months. In addition to the

WEST NEWTON LYCEUM.

EVICTION IN IRELAND, -SHOULD THE PRESIDENT BE ELECTED BY POPULAR VOTE.

A meeting of the West Newton Lyce um was held in the City Hall, Monday evening. There was a large attendance and the exercises were of an interesting character. The music was an enjoyable feature, selections being rendered by Miss White, a pupil of Miss Munger, who has been taught the art of effective execution. Her voice is a light soprano of good range. The lecture on "Evic-tions in Ireland" was delivered by Mr. Thomas B. Fitz, who pointed out the sad condition of the tenantry in the old country. After alluding to the absence of industries calculated to develop the country and add to the prosperity of the people he called the attention of the audience to the proscription of the peas-ant classes who are not even allowed to eatch fish within the waters of their native country. Freedom of speech is de-nied to them and is regarded as a crime, and the men who dare to speak in be-half of an abused race are placed in pris-on and punished as criminals. The motives of Parnell have been grossly misrepresented, and an effort is being made to destroy his usefulness.

A traveller who visits Ireland is at first struck with the sparse population. Vast tracts of land are to be seen as devoid of population as some of our western prairies. When the stranger inquires rela-When the stranger inquires tive to this peculiarity, he is told that landlords own almost entire townships. Of these vast estates which they control, one-fifth or one-tenth of the land is saved for rental, and a most exorbitant rent is demanded. The farmer who takes is demanded. The farmer who takes his produce to the market has only one end in view—to obtain enough money for his goods to pay his rent and thus secure shelter for his family. There are no luxuries, only the most meagre diet for the poor man and his loved ones. As the traveller journeys to one end of the vast estate, he approaches the village where every building is owned by the haddord and pays an enormous rental. The people who occupy the stores and buildings are tenants at will, and this renders it very discouraging to those who are engaged in business. The case who are engaged in business. The case of a dry goods dealer, who conducted a successful business, came under my notice. At the last election he supported the national party, and as a result he was subsequently ejected from his store without indemnity for his losses. So strong has the sentiment become, however that no natriotic man in Ireland ever, that no patriotic man in Ireland would consent to occupy a store from which a tenant had been so summarily

and unjustly ejected. The speaker then alluded to the evic-tions of farmers from their dwellings in Kilrush, which he witnessed in company with two Englishmen. Previous to the evictions, we visited, said Mr. Fitz, the baricaded dwellings, and upon our apapproach the sentinel at the door of the house gave the alarm to warn the in-mates of our presence. The poor people were on the alert to learn our business, were on the alert to learn our business, and I had no difficulty in obtaining a cordial welcome when they learned that I was an American. My English compangions were also welcomed when they stated that they were believers in Gladstone's policy of home rule. The owner of the first house we visited was a man named Wilkie, and I was impressed with his intelligence and understanding of the political situation of his country. He told us that his father, who was then 80 years of age, was born upon the same spot where the little home had been erected. When times had been better in Ireland, the little cabin his father had built many years before had been taken down and a new and larger building put up. The rent for 30 acres had formerly been 540 per annum, but when the tenant voted for the home rule candidates, it was raised to 250 per annum, and a reduction of ten per cent. only secured after a long legal process which cost the tenant a considerable amount. This house, like the others in the village, was barricaded, and when we asked its occupant if he supposed that it would resist the emergency men and the police, he replied, "No, but if we did not barricade our houses, the world would know nothing of the process which cost against a system as wrong and cruel as slavery in America. It is done and I had no difficulty in obtaining a corine of our sufferings. It is done as a protest against a system as wrong and cruel as slavery in America. It is done that the world may learn of man's inhumanity to man, of the injustice of the cruel law which drives men from their homes, rendered sacred through tender

When the day for the onslaught upon When the day for the obsaught a the the poor tenants arrived we watched the proceeding with mingled feelings of in-terest and contempt. The first house that was attacked by the emergency men angulated by the militia and police was in New En land, and there seems to be no reason for doubting the ability of the ability of the company to continue to pay 5 per cent every six months. In addition to the surveys womths, and addition to the amounts to more than the next dividend, and by unanimous vote of the stockholders at the annual meeting held Feb. 9th. 180, the price of the shares will be marked up \$2.00 each on and after April 18t. The company has an office at No.1 Milk street, Boston, Room 5, where any information can be had.

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ceived 99 votes. Lincoln under this system was counted in by a minority vote of between eight and nine thousand. R. B. Hayes, (returning board Hayes,) was counted in and Tilden was counted out, although the latter received over 200,000 more votes than his Republican opponent. Benjamin Harrison, if he had been voted for directly by the people, would not have been elected president of the United States. Under the present system, New York, Pennsylvania, Illinois and Ohio with a population of fifteen million people, have 111 representatives and eight senators while four small states with only 500,000 population and 4 representatives in the house send 8 senators. New York state has only 2 senators, yet the New England states with less population send 12 senators to Washington. The system is wrong, unequal, unjust and contrary to the genius and spirit of our institutions. The citizens should go to the polls and vote for the president directly, the same as they do for governor of the state, and I would advocate an amendment to the constitution that would provide for this change, casting our votes directly for our choice, securing a free ballot, a clear count and cheerfully acquiescing in the result.

Mr. J. W. Davis opened the debate in the negative. The previous speaker, said Mr. Davis, has attacked the present system of electing a president and vice president, but has given no very good reasons in support of the plan which he proposes to obviate the difficulties. I do not claim that the present system of electing a president and vice president, but has given no very good reasons in support of the plan which he proposes to obviate the difficulties. I do not claim that the present system of electing a president and vice president, but has given no very good reasons in support of the plan which he proposes to obviate the difficulties. I do not claim that the present system of electing a president and the proposes an influence greater than that the system is a bad one but that the system which he proposes in system the

resent system.

The discussion was continued by various speakers, the closing arguments being made by Messrs Plummer and Davis.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC.

Every school boy and school girl has been taught and taught how fast and how much the United States has grown since The year 1790 was the year of the first census, and perhaps the growth of the census itself is as good an example as can be found of the wonderful expansion of the nation. The first census was simply an enumeration of the people; it cost less than \$50,000 and was all con-Stained in a modest volume of 52 pages; i showed that there were nearly four mil-lions of people in the country. Since then the census has grown with the country, and the tables of the census,like the industries of the country, have be-come diversified. Statistics of manufactures appeared in 1810, in the third census. The fifth census seems to have been an exception to the rule as it was much smaller than either the third or the fourth. But the printing was so wretchedly done that Congress required a republication, and this made the cost exceed the cost of any preceding census in spite of its smaller size. In 1840, 1850, 1860, 1870, statistics were collected in regard to agriculture, mining, manufactur ing, mortality, wealth, etc., the size, variety, and cost of the work, constantly increasing. The one volume of 1790 with 52 pages, in 1870 had grown to four volumes with an aggregate of over 3200 pages; and instead of paying \$50,000 or a little over a cent apiece, the people paid over \$3,000,000, or nearly nine cents for every man, woman and child, in the for every man, woman and child, in the country. The unparalleled increase in the wealth of the country in the decade, 1870-1880, it well exemplified in the contents and proportions of the tenth census. Volume one is given to population: manufactures have two volumes; agriculture has four including one especially about trees; mortality and social statistics fill five volomes; newspapers, Alaska, and slipbuilding are somewhat queerly shut up between the same covers; mining and minerals occupies four volumes; and transportation (1), wealth (1), waterpower (2), wages (1), and a compendium (2), swell the whole number of volumes to twenty-four with the aggregate of 20,000 pages. A tax of eleven cents upon every person within our borders would not have sufficed to make the \$5,800,000 needed for this stupendous work.

The first purpose of the census, as every one knows, is simply to ascertain the number of people in each state here.

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TRIBUTES TO BRAVERY.

SOME OF THE LETTERS RECEIVED BY EDWARD G. BLAISDELL.

The letters which have been sent to young Edward G. Blaisdell, son of John G. Blaisdell, of this city, complimenting him for heroic conduct in saving the life of a comrade, J. Howard Lee, early in January, have been collected. Among them are those from President Harrison, Ex-President Cleveland, Vice-President-Morton, Ex-Secretary Whitney, Gov-ernor Jackson, Mayor Latrobe, Governor Lee of Virginia, Governor Beaver of Pennsylvania, Governor Biggs of Dela-ware, Governor Stevenson of Nevada, Governor Lowry of Mississippi, the Governors of Ohio, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Rhode Island, Nebraska, Michigan, Tennessee and New Hampshire; Senators Dawes, Chandler, Ingalls and Manderson, and Congressmen Lodge, Long, McComas and Cogswell, Col. D. S. Lamont, the mayor of Chicago and the mayor of Philadelphia. The circumstances of the heroic act are as follows: Early in January, J. Howard Lee was playing hockey' on Haskell's pond and fell into the water which was about twelve feet deep, and would have been drowned had not young Blaisdell, who, without hesitation or stopping to remove any part of his clothing, jumped into the water, grabbed Lee just as he was going down for the third time, and kept him afloat until the spectators could throw planks to them, by which means the solid ice was reached. The Massachucetts Humane Society presented him with a gold medal, and young Lee's father gave him a hand-some pair of gold cuff-buttons, suitably engraved. Ex-President Cleveland's letter is as follows: "I have received news-paper clippings giving an account of your brave act in rescning a schoolmate from drowning, and it gives me great pleasure to send you a line in recognition of the courage and intrepidity which actuated you in placing your life in danger to save that of another. Such emergencies de-velop character and test one's strength velop character and test one strength of will, and you have shown that you possess one of the most important attributes of true manhood." President Harrison wrote: "I have read with great interest the statements in the newspapers of the rescuing of J. Howard Lee from a watery grave, and beg to inclose my autograph." The letter of Vice-President Morton was as follows: "I have read with interest the accounts "I have read with interest the accounts of your brave act in rescuing a school-mate from drowning. Such an act of courage shows you to be a boy of whom any father might well feel proud." Governor Jackson wrote: "My attention has just been called to your able and heroic act in saving the life of your schoolmate. Young men of such courage are indeed."

just been called to your able and heroic act in saving the life of your schoolmate. Young men of such courage are indeed scaree. I trust you will make as good a man as you have proved yourself courageous and brave." Mayor Latrobe wrote: "I am much gratified at seeing an account of your gallant rescue of J. Howard Lee from drowning at the risk of your own life. Such actions call for commendation from all who admire bravery and willingness to make self-sacrifice." Governor Lee, of Virginia, wrote: "A boy who will save a drowning comrade under such circumstances will, if opportunity is offered, save his country." Governor Beaver's letter said: "Your brave and manly act is worthy of the highest commendation." Robert Lowry, Governor of Mississippi, wrote: "A boy of such courage will fill the place of a true man. God biess you."

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LETTERS FROM NEWTON PEOPLE.

WEST NEWTON, Jan. 29, 1889.

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My Dear Blaisdell,
I have read with pride and pleasure in a newspaper an account of your brave and heroic act in saving young Lee's life. The ability to perform this act, the spirit that prompted and the success you achieved, all are honorable to you as a manly boy. The fact that young Lee represents a race that is looked down upon in this country in such an unchristian way, tho he is a noble specimen of that race, and a noble fellow anyway, adds to the character of the act. I only hope you did not risk your own life rashly. Bravery and pluck are commendable rashness and hind sightedness to be avoided. It is a grateful thought to me to recall the fact that you learned to swim in my little pond. So do the influences of that little stream, even as its waters run out into the wide expanse of the world, to bless and to save. It will be a grateful thought to you all through your life that you saved a boy's lite, while his gratitude must be unceasing. May you always be thus obedient to the voice of duty, and successful in your every undertaking,

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rtaking, Sincerely, JAMES T. ALLEN, English and Classical School.

Newtonville, Jan. 22nd, 1889.

My Dear Blaisdell,
It has given me great pleasure to learn
to-day that you are the one who bravely
and at the risk of your own life, recently
saved Master Lee from drowning. Will
you please accept the thanks of your
teachers for your act of heroism. In
honoring yourself and your parents you
liave reflected credit on the Newton High
School. Sincerely Yours,
Principal N. H. School, E. J. Goodwin.

MASTER E. G. BLAISDELL,
My Dear Sir:—I have learned through
the newspapers of your generous self
sacrifice in saving a comrade's life at the
risk of your own. It gives me great
pleasure to say that in my opinion your
fellow townsmen take a just and proper
pride in honoring generous courage, and
that you have furnished a shining example of it. Very sincerely yours,
HEMAN M. BURR,
Mayor of Newton.

WEST NEWTON, Mass,
MASTER EDWARD G. BLAISDELL,
Dear Sir:—Having read in the newspapers an account of the manner in
which you saved the life of J. Howard
Lee, I feel it my duty to inform you that
such an act of bravery and self denial on

557 Washington St., cart Adams Hous

your part should receive official notice, and being at the head of a department where courage is one of the truest elements. I therefore take great pleasure in saying that the act performed by you I know well how to appreciate and congratulate you man.

I know well now to ser-gratulate you upon. Very respectfully yours, CHAS. F. RICHARDSON, City Marshall.

AUBURNDALE, Jan. 28, '89.

DEAR MASTER BLAISDELL,
I hear you helped get young Lee out of the pond. It was a good thing to do. Don't get too proud over it so as to let it spoil you, but be thankful for the Providence that let you be near and gave you ability to do it, and do it again.

Yours truly,
C. C. BRAGDON,
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West Newton, Jan. 28th, '89.

Master E. G. Blaisdell.,
My Dear Sir:—Permit me to contribute
my personal appreciation of your very
brave act, in the rescue of young Lee,
with the assurance that none recognize
true bravery more promptly than firemen. I have the honor to remain,
Yours with great respect,
HENRY L. BINBY,
Chief of Fire Dept.

Prohibition in Rhode Island.

To the Editor of the Graphic:

The foes of Constitutional Amendments are surely "reckoning without their host" in trying to make the experience of Rhode Island support them in their thoughtless warfare on this great principle of correct government. Their love of boasted personal liberty makes many very apathetic, little realizing that personal liberty now-a-days is made to cover a multitude of errors, like anarchy, free love, mutinous strikes, etc., etc. But it is well to remember "That person-

But it is well to remember "That personal liberty always ceases where injury to your neighbor begins," "Now let us reason together."

About these times the Providence Journal which is and always has been an open enemy to Prohibition is making itself lively and our Boston Dailies for level of their material are giving its hit. lack of other material are giving its hitterly prejudiced testimony prominent space under big head lines in their columns to help the Rum Interests fight the proposed amendment. "Little Rhody" looms up to-day a big spectre to these metropolitan dailies when hitherto they have passed her by unnoticed. Even our nominally temperance papers are moving cautiously, and the Boston Journal inserts an article by Rev. Dr. Dorchester, but is very careful to stare that it is not responsible for the sentiment expressed. The silence of these tamily temperance papers is simply thunderous. Even the Congregationalist has spoken with such a conservative cautious utterance that all the Rum papers are giving its sentiments free publication, and the whiskey and beer magnates are paying for its insertion in all the local papers that will take it. The talk of the Providence Journal "that more intoxicating liquor is manufactured and sold in Rhode Island under so called prohibitory law than at any time under the license system is mere assertion unsupported by facts and figures. If this cheap assertion be true, why in the name of Heaven is every distiller, brewer, and saloonist in this great country so interested to resubmit the amendment in cunning little Rhode Island and to defeat the amendment proposed in Massachusetts, Pennsylvania and New Hampshire, while every man, woman and child who day by day labors and prays for the overthrow of this liquor traffic, supports the amendment without a quibble. Although Prohibition has had no chance in Rhode Island through the apathy of officials who do not believe in it as a principle, and whose selfish interests deter them from conflict with the beer and whiskey interests whose creatures they teel themselves/to be, yet very encouraging statistics have been gathered, proving the superior thrift of the resubmissionists contained 3457 names most of whom voted against the amendment when first submitted, the petition that remonstrated against resubmission contained as a recent legislative hearing. These bear very interestingly to thoughtful people upon this question, but, strange to say, these New York, Chicago and Boston papers do not care to use the

ness. Let us take the figures for the last three years under high license and compare them with the three years of prohibition.

In 1883, the clearings amounted to \$237,148,800. In 1884, they were \$217,448,300, and in 1885, \$216,465,200; making a net decrease or loss of \$21,000,000 in three years of license law.

In 1886, prohibition was voted. In that year ousiness bank clearings jumped up to \$232,088,200, an increase of \$16,000-000, instead of the regular decrease of the three previous years. In 1887, when the law was fairly well enforced the clearings rose to \$244,977,100, another increase of \$12,000,000. In 1888, when the law was not enforced as well it amounted to \$4,000,000, or a total of \$32,204,440 over the last year of license. What's more strange still these figures were taken from the Providence Journal. Savings Bank's deposits, in 1882, amounted to \$4,300,000, or at later, they had increased only \$5,000,000 the three last years of license, Nov. 21, 1888, the amount due depositors had increased \$6,000,000; under prohibitron, 100 per cent increase over license years. The number of depositors in one savings bank alone increased under prohibition over 300 per cent. The fact that real estate (which this Providence Journal asserts) has depreciated under amendment times is unknown to the tax assessors. Since 1885, real estate values have increased \$8,000,000, in Providence alone, while personal property increased in asserss) has depreciated under amendment times is unknown to the tax assessors. Since 1885, real estate values have increased \$8,000,000, in Providence alone, while personal property increased in asserss) valuations over \$3,500,000. Rents are increasing and it is next to impossible to rent a store in the business part of poor amendment ridden Providence and vacant touses are the exception and not the rule. In the matter of arrests in Providence has serts that "in the last two-and-a-half years pro-

hibition has ruled that the number has decreased 2000 under the number made in the same period of license." In 1887, the New York Tribune, in commenting editorially on the fact that arrests for drunkenness had fallen off more than 40 percent in the first six months of prohibition says: "A law that accomplished that much good is a good law. We would be glad to have in this city, New York, a measure that would reduce the amount of crime—pocket-picking, burglary, arson, boodling, or what not, as largely as the Prohibition Act has decreased drunkenness and its attendant evils in Providence, and no one would deny the value of such a law. A law which has accomplished so much cannot truthfully be said to be injurious to the best interests of the State." So much for the now silent Tribune.

I will close this defence of Prohibitory Amendments by summoning this now over-zealous Providence Journal itself to testify as to the fallacy of some of its own latter-day statements at the end of the first year of Prohibition experience in Rhode Island. It says:

"The most obvious result of the law is the abolition of open seiling to any and all comers. Throughout the State the public saloon is reported unknown. This of course is a very decided gain. The temptations placed in the way of the young and heedless by open bar rooms at every corner have been removed, and in consequence, taking the State as a whole there was a remarkable falling of in drunkenness and cognate offences during the last six months of 1886, as compared with the corresponding period of 1885. In a word, the present state of affairs is this: The law has reduced the amount of drunkenness that was seen under the license system; and has so far conduced to the general improvement of many hitherto disorderly localities. It has secured a semblance of its purpose in closing public saloons."

It thus quotes from police records to verify these sincere words that it once published.

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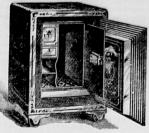
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Yours truly,
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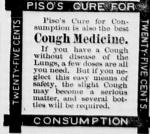
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THE STREET LIGHT CONTRACT.

The contract with the Newton and Watertown Gas company, for the light-ing of streets the coming three years, was such a favorable one that it went through the common council without a dissenting vote, and there is no doubt of its being passed by the board of alder-Such a contract is a substantial victory for the street light committee, and also shows that the representatives of the Gas company were reasonably dis-posed, and were willing to treat the city fairly. It was their duty of course, as representing a business corporation, to get the most favorable terms they could for their company, while on the other hand the committee, under the able leadership of its chairman, Alderman Johnson, had to look solely to the interests of the city, which demanded that the lights should be provided for inside of the appropriation

It is the best contract the city ever It is the best contract the city ever made, and only shows how quietly and effectively the new city government is doing its work. It has been often remarked of late that there is no longer any excitement about the city government matters, but this is because all the members agree on the policy to be pur-sued, and are going about their work in a business-like manner. There is not much of a flourish, perhaps, but when the results are revealed, as in the case of this street light contract, it is seen that some hard work has been done, with a shrewd foresight for the saving of the

city money. For the next three years the city will be better lighted than ever before in its history, the insufficient oil lamps will be replaced by incardescent lamps, the gas lights will be increased in brilliancy, and there will be money left to pay for what new lamps are needed, with a probable balance at the end of the year. The con-solidation of the two street lighting companies has evidently proved an excellent thing for the city.

THE OFFICE-SEEKERS.

It is very discouraging to read in the Washington despatches of the Boston Journal, which are noted for their stalwart Republicanism, that "the rush for office here in these early days after the ushering in of the new administration is something almost unprecedented." careful reading of the Journal for the past four years has shown conclusively that the "lust for spoils" was confined entirely to Democrats, of whom, of course, no better things could be expect-ed. But to find that there is the same greed for office on the part of Republicans is discouraging to those who hoped that we were to have an era of better things for the next four years. President Cleveland, every one is is now willing to admit, honestly tried to live up to his civil service reform professions, but the pressure of his party was too much for him. Will President Harrison be any better able to resist the demands made upon him, which, according to reliable authority, are unprecedented? This is a question which all those who believe in divorcing the civil selves with a good deal of anxiety. It is not at all to the credit of this country that with every change in administration the pressure for spoils becomes at once the most urgent question for the new President to consider, and forces all other issues into the background. According to the views of these office-seekers, all that a victory for their party means is that former office-holders are to be turned out and the salaries turned over them as a reward for their services. It is little wonder that so many precautions are needed to protect the purity of the ballot, when so many men in both parties hold such views. All national issues are now crowded out of sight, and the columns of the corporations for the benefit of the corporations for the corporations for the corporations for the corporations of the corporations for the corporations of the corporation service from politics, are asking them-selves with a good deal of anxiety. It is islature exists for the benefit of the corsight, and the columns of the daily papers are taxed to give the list of the men who are seeking a reward for voting for the men, and the principles which they professed to believe were the only right ones. The spectacle ought to convert ones. The spectacle ought to convert every disinterested citizen into an enthusiastic advocate of an immediate extenon of the civil service reform rules to

THE special committee on the question almshouse location has agreed that it is expedient to remove the alms ouse as soon as the necessary arrange ments can be made, and has appointed a sub-committee, consisting of the Mayor, Alderman Pettee and Councilman Wis-

wall, to look about for a new site for the almshouse. The committee mean business, and the property owners of Waban can rest satisfied that the alms-house will be removed at some date in the near future. This is all that they asked for in their recent petition to the city council, and they can now go ahead with their contemplated improvements in that locality, and make it one of the most attractive villages in Newton. Their first care ought to be to widen the main thoroughfares, which can easily be done at present. The main streets all through Newton are too narrow, but the cost of widening in the older sections would be so great that the work will not be undertaken, but in Waban the streets, which are now none too wide for country roads, can be widened at a very small expense, and the section be made much more attractive. It is probable that there will be a great deal of building in that section the coming year, and the surveys made prove that the owners of property intend to begin in the right way.

A REPRESENTATIVE of the West End company was in town this week, interviewing the property owners on Waverly Avenue, Tremont, Brighton, Ward and Hammond streets, to get their sentiments in regard to an extension of the West End road through those streets, with a line running from the Newton station. It is said that he was rather surprised to find the largest property owners so favorably disposed, most of them not only having no objections to having the road pass their residences, but being decidedly pass their residences, but being decidedly in favor of the scheme. They recognize that a street railway is one of those modern conveniences which add immensely to the comfort of living. Besides, a street railway is needed to build up the section of the city which the distance from the stations makes inconvenient. from the stations makes inconvenient even for those who keep horses. If the West End company should build such a road, land on Ward street and vicinity would be at once in demand for building purposes, and a real estate boom would follow that would have an important ef-fect in the building up of Newton.

THE question of what shall be done with boys who are expelled from school is troubling the police and truant officer. They can not be arrested as truants, and to leave them to roam at will about the streets is neither advantageous for them nor for the public. There is need of some amendment to the truant laws, so that boys who are so disobedient that their presence cannot be tolerated in school, could be taken care of and placed where they will be made to obey. Boys with whom moral suasion is a failure need a liberal dose of corporal punishment either from their parents or their teachers. and in this respect the old fashioned methods were better than the present ones. Perhaps the county truant schools will furnish a solution of this problem, by amending the laws so that boys expelled from school, and whose parents have no control over them, can be there and given a chance to grow up useful and law-abiding citizens.

MAYOR BURR's recommendation about playgrounds, in his inaugural address. will be recalled with the approach spring, and there certainly should provided some place on each side of the city, for organized out-of-door sports. There is now no land available for the purpose in Wards One and Seven, any land that is vacant being held at such a high figure as to preclude any thought of buying it for such a purpose, but there is said to be vacant land in Ward Two, admirably adapted for the purpose, and with the establishment of the street railway, it would be within reach of the boys in four of the wards. The committee on Parks has the matter in hand and will probably make a report at no dis tant day.

IN ANOTHER column will be found copies of numerous letters from prominent men, addressed to Edward G. Blais-dell of Auburndale, complimenting him for his brave act in rescuing Howard Lee from drowning. There are letters from President Harrison, ex-President Cleveland and many other men of national prominence, besides others from Mayor Burr and various city officials of Newton. The parents and friends of young Blaisdell may well feel proud at these testifications. dell may well feel proud at these testimonials

THE passage of the Boston & Albany bill raises the question whether the leg-

It must be the reverse of amusing to Boston people to read that the new ath-letic club have put a filter in their club house, so that the water may be clean enough to bathe in. Water drinkers in that city are having a hard time of it.

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der Clause-The Beverly Case-Col. Washburn's Appointment - Dawes and Long - The Late Sidney Bartlett-Legislative Notes.

From Our special Correspondent:

THE AMENDMENT.

I noticed in the GRAPHIC last week an editorial referring to the conspicuous ab-scence of any opinions on the part of the Boston Traveller and Boston Journal upon the proposed Constitutional Amendment. So far as the Traveller is concerned, the So far as the Traveller is concerned, the Graphic is slightly in error. There have been several exhaustive editorials in the Traveller upon the beauties and benefits of a Constitutional Prohibitory amendment, that is, as applicable to the State of New Hampshire and other States in the Union. Editor Whicher of the Traveller is a native of New Hampshire, and for several years was a resident of Rhed native of New Hampshire, and for several years was a resident of Rhode Island and he is not only competent to speak for the welfare of those States, but he takes a deep interest in their moral

growth and prosperity.

But he is not certain as to the moral or produce affixed to the constitution of the State of Massachusetts, and neither he, nor State of Massachusetts, and nether ne, nor the Traveller, nor the Journal, will care to risk any opinions when the interests of party weigh more in the scale than any sentimental ideas of morality and religion They don't desire to do it and the party

They don't desire to do it and the party don't desire it for them. The fact that these two only straight-out Republican papers in the metropolis are silent upon the subject, speaks volumes.

I neither know nor have the means of judging what the views of the Graphic are, but as your correspondent I have no hesitation or delicacy in expressing my own, for which of course the Graphic is not responsible.

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I have no hesitation in saying that the whole thing from its conception on has been a hypocritical fraud. It is a matter which was forced upon the party by a set of cranks who have no faith in themselves in its practicability, and the leaders of the party had to adopt it in the platform of the party for the sake of

Whether the amendment is accepted or rejected by the people does not advance the question of temperance at all and the leaders know it. If it is accepted then leaders know it. If it is accepted then there will be no end of legislation to define what the amendment means in detail and practice. If it is rejected then there will be an attempt to pass a prohibitory law which we have had once, and found it to-

which we have had once, and found it to-tally inoperative and repealed it.

The local option law as it now stands is the best law we can have, and by pursuing the high license policy, liquor selling and drunkenness can be brought into close quarters and virtually controlled by the

I have little faith in its acceptance by the people. The Republican party has yielded to the prohibition whip in doing what it has, and at heart it desires to go no farther. The cider clause was a disturbing element till some party either fool or knave has

been prumulgating through the state that the amendment as it stands will not prevent the farmers from making cider. I have no faith in the honesty of the amendment and I do have great faith in the honesty and good sense of the people.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Last Friday was probably the biggest day all around at the capitol, both in the committee rooms, in both the Senate and House and in the corridors where the lobby doth ostly congregate.
The closing arguments in the overhead

The closing arguments in the overneau electric motor system were made before the street railway committee and a large and intelligent audience. The closing argument of ex-Mayor Russell in favor of the over head system was a masterly effort and unanswerable, as also was the presentation of the West End position from a practical standard made by President Wiltney.

stand-point made by President Whitney.

The importance to the State of the legislative result in this case cannot be overes lative result in this case cannot be overes-timated. It has a deep interest for the peo-ple and prosperity of every city and town in the Commonwealth, and it is to be hoped the West End Company will summarize all the valuable testimony and together with the arguments, put them in proper form for circulation throughout the Start circulation throughout the State.

The Senate occupied the entire session in debating the Boston & Albany bill, commenced on Thursday, of which the papers have given a full and detailed report. The debate on Friday was narrowed down to a duel between the learned Senator from Suf folk, Mr. Sprague, and the astute and cun ning Senator from Berkshire. Mr. Crosby In fact the whole interest of the debate ce the fact the whole interest of the debate centered in this legislative sparring match Senator Sprague is one of the ablest senators at the Board, but the Berkshire senators at the Board, but the Berkshire senators at the senators at the senators are senators. tor was too much for him. There was scarcely any necessity for debate, as the passage of the bill was a foregone conclu-

The now famous Beverly Farms case was commenced in the Senate, Tuesday, the deuate being on the motion of Senator Fisk of the committee to substitute a bill for the report of the committee leave to withdraw. As the matter will not probably be settled for several days after the date of this writing. I will say nothing further then this for several days after the date of this writing, I will say nothing further than this,
that SenatorFisk did himselfigreat creditin
the plain simple manner in which he gave
reasons for preferring the bill to the report.
It was worth more, and had more weight,
than a thousand such rhetorical displays as
that of Symonds of Essex, who did
not gain much by his base imitations
of Senator Hathorne in trying to confound and trip Senator Fisk by asking useless and frivolous questions. Senator Fisk
evidently gained the ear of the Senate. and ress and rrivoious questions. Senator Fisk evidently gained the ear of the Senate and at the present writing it looks as though the bill would pass the Senate by a respec-

table majority. [The prediction proved correct, as the bill passed the Senat

MASSACHUSETTS AMONG THE FIRST. MASSACHUSETTS AMONG THE FIRST.
The nomination of Col. John L. Washburn of Worcester to be Minister resident and Consul General at Switzerland was not only a deserved compliment to the old Bay State, but a first-class appointment in every way. If all of President Harrison's foreign appointments shall be of the same class, the United States will be well represented abroad.

The only drawback to this appointment so far as the party is concerned, is the fact that it seems to have been made at the dictation of Uncle George Hoar, without apparent consultation with the rest of the delegation. This looks as though our two senators were to make the appointments from this state leaving the delegation in the

House a cipher.

This action of Senator Hoar also looks favorable for Beard for the collectorship I am informed, however, by the best au-thority that the President has declared that its will be his policy not to restore old offi-cials but appoint altogether new men, and his reasons for this are that the party lost its election in 1884 largely on account of the dissatisfaction of the people with the majority of office-holders. The graybeards must go to the rear and young America step to the front.

THE LATE SIDNEY BARTLETT.

I can hardly endure the extravagant eulogies pronounced by the bar upon the late Sidney Bartlett. He was undoubtedly an eminently successful man, but I deny that he was an eminently legal man in the strict application of that term. He was successful because he was a patient, hard working, self confident man in his profession. The circumstances of the times in which be lived pack him. working, self confident man in his profession. The circumstances of the times in which he lived made him. He followed a lead with blind pertinacity. He amassed a fortune in his legal practice, and by shrewd investment because he would have had to step out of his way to avoid it. It was going altogether too far to say that his death left no first class lawyer at the Suffolk bar. His talent as lawyer was rather assumptive than possessive. I know many of his contemporaries who were prominent at the bar lifty years ago, and I think I could name a score who were head and shoulders above him in all that constitutes a first class lawyer. He deserves great respect but such full some culogies as have been passed upon him are unjust to the living and the dead.

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The papers have announced the fact that Senator Dawes interposed in the matter of the special Cherokee mission and stayed the nomination of Governor Long for one of the Commissioners.

The reasons assigned by the President for selecting a member from this state were good and sufficient, and why Senator Dawes should interfere to prevent it may not appear clear on the face, but to my mind, it is significant of the face that Dawes has inseat him two years ago.

Dawes can afford to defy his party for the termination of his senatorial career; in the termination of his public life, a long but not very brilliant one. But he cannot afford to smirch his record by any such peatry and the people will judge him pretty correctly for this act.

However, it is not sure that he will sueceed in this. I had an interview Tuesday with a party holding a prominent position in Washington, who thinks the President will adher to his first choice and appoint Long, Furthermore, the same party, though a Massachusetts man, and an original Dawes man, says that Dawes' influence with the administration is weakening.

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There is great rejoicing in certain quarters over the defeat of the Prohibitory Amendment in New Hampshire. But the vote in New Hampshire is no criterion on which to base an opinion upon the probable vote in this state. First it required a two-third vote in New Hampshire and only a majority in this state. Secondly the class of people with which the question had to deal in New Hampshire is radically different from the element in this state. However, it will have an encouraging effect upon the anti-amendment.

Among other matters of gossip in the west wing of the State House is, that if the prohibitory amendment prevails the prohibitory amendment prevails the prohibitory amendment prevails the prohibitory amendment prevails the political changes made by this distinguished and handsome statesman within the past thirty years this is the most radical, though no change on his part could be unexpected. From a violent secesh Democrat in 1860, to a radical prehibitionist in 1890 is a big leap. However, the Hon. George cannot live without breathing the air of public life. If he can't get office from one party he passes over to another. If he cannot be a cabinet officer he is willing to serve the dear people as governor. I am afraid, however, he has written finis to his volume of official life. But he can devote his declining years with profit in enlightening the people on agricultural afraits.

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SHERMAN—CARTER—In Milford, Meh 14, by Rev. Fayette Nichols of Newton, Dr. C. J. Sherman of Quincy and Miss Angelina M. Cart-er of Milford.

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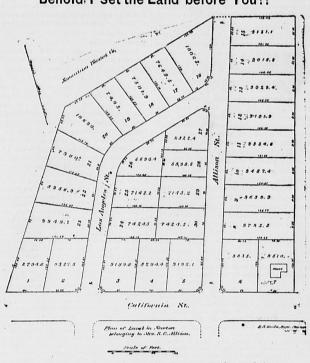
REAL ESTATE. MORTGAGES. While recently perusing an Ancient Classic, [a copy of which is in the Public

Library, opposite my office in Newton!, I became interested in a description therein of a piece of Real Estate, and the thought struck me that it might very appropriately have been penned in reference to a plat of land I now offer for sale. The land is situated about equi-distant from the Newton Station on the Boston and Albany Rail Road, and the Watertown Station the Fitchburg Rail Road. I quote verbatim:

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NEWTONVILLE.

-Mr. Alfred Q. Cole and Mrs. Cole have —Mr. George M. Cranitch has returned from his trip to Washington.

—Mrs. Mary Wandless has recovered from the effects of her recent accident. -Arthur A. Glines has sold his Newton studio to W. H. Partridge of Boston High-

—Mr. George L. Whitney is regaining his accustomed vigor after an illness of rather serious character.

-Mr. U. H. Dyer will remove his stock the store formerly occupied by John les in Central Block.

—Herbert Hunting, who has been so riously ill, was able to get out this week d is much improved in health.

—The young people of the Congregation-al church had a largely attended and very enjoyable social Thursday evening. There will be a regular meeting of the Goddard Literary Union at the Universalist Vestry, Tuesday evening, Mar. 19, at 7.45.

-Mr. D. C. Heath and son have returned from their visit to Washington, where they remained during the inaugural ceremonies.

-Luke Ashley will probably wear a Newton policeman's uniform for it is said that he is reasonably sure of an appoint-

—Rev R. A. White delivered the address at the meeting under the auspices of Charity lodge, f. O. G. T., in the City Hall, Sunday afternoon.

—The aged mother of ex-Mayor Kimball has been seriously ill at her residence in Westboro, and fears are entertained that she may not recover.

-Rev.Mr. Hunter will next Sunday even-ing preach the closing sermon of the series which he has been preaching. Subject, "The life I would live."

-Lenten services were held at the residence of Mrs. Tewksbury, Walnut street, Monday evening, and similar religious meeting will be held weekly.

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—The Newtonville Girls' Guild will hold a fair for the benefit of the Newton Cottage hospital at the residence of Mrs. McDonald, Highland avenue, April 5th.

—Mr. Holmes of the Chelsea Cordage company has leased of Mr. Mitchell for 5 years the Valentine house, which has been very handsomely refitted.

—There will be a concert at the Newton Club house, next Tuesday evening, by the Boston Ideal Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar club, beginning at 8 o'clock. It is for members and ladies only.

—It is understood that the committee of the Central Congregatonal Society to whom was referred the purchase of land for a new building site, will present a definite plan in the near future.

—Norumbega tribe, Red Men, has shifted

—Norumbega tribe, Red Men, has shifted its happy hunting grounds to Cole's Hall, Newton, where they will kindle the coun-cil fire hereafter on the first and third Tuesdays of the month.

—Seven young ladies from Newtonville took the civil service examination for positions in the cierical service at City Hall, Wednesday afternoon. A Newtonville man also took the examination.

—The improvements on Clyde street are progressing rapidly, and it now offers some of the pretites building sites in that part of the ward. Two new houses built by Mr. C. H. Pulsifer are nearly finished, and more will be erected.

There will be a concert at the Universalist church, Wednesday evening, March 27th, for the benefit of the society, tickets to which will be fifty cents. The program will include both vocal and instrumental music by prominent singers and musicians.

—Mr. H. F. Ross has commenced work on a two story brick building to be utilized for shops in the rear of the Pulsifer property between the building occupied by Mrs. Wil-liams and J. C. Fuller and the store of D. C. Fitch. The old buildings are being torn

down.

—Frank Pennel put out a fire in an ash barrel in the rear of the building occupied by Mr. Bradshaw, Wednesday afternoon. The barrel stood up against the building and scorched the wood, and would have resulted in a blaze if it had not been discovered.

—The union meeting of Eliot lodge, 638, and Garden City lodge, 1901, K. of H., in Masonic hall, Tuesday evening, March 26, promises to be a notable gathering. There will be delegations present from Natick, Needham, Waltham and Watertown.

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—Mr. Everett L. Smith has sold the road mare Harebell, 2:36:3-4 by Harbinger, first dam Isabelle by Happy Medium, second dam Clara by Ethan Allen, to parties in Paris, for \$1350. She had a two year old record of 2:45:1-2, and has been driven by Mr. Smith to trotting wagon in 2:31:3-4.

—The second in the course of dances under the auspices of the Newtonville Literary and Social club was given in Tremont hall, Wednesday evening. It was a very pretty party and some dainty and handsome dresses were worn by the fair sex. Music was rendered by Cole's orchestra.

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—Rev. R. A. White will soon occupy a handsome new residence on Park Place, off Washington Park, and a few rods distant from the Universalist church. Building for the property of the pr

on Washington Park.

—The first in the series of games in the pool tournament under the auspices of the Newton Outing club was played in the rooms of the club last Saturday evening and proved a close and interesting struggle for honors. The whist tournament started Tuesday evening and there is still opportunity for members to enter either tournative for members to enter either either tournative for members to enter either tournative for members to enter either e

—Newton Council, Legion of Honor, enjoyed a basket party, at their hall Tuesday evening, about 30 couples being present. The committee of arrangements were Mrs. E. W. Bailey, Mrs. Langley, J. T. Bailey, 2nd, and Chandler Seaver. Rowe's orchestra of Waltham furnished music for dancing, and the basket supper furnished much amusement.

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—The second annual dramatic entertainment of the Newtonville Literary and Social club will be held in the Universalist church pariors, Thursday, March 21, at 8 p. m. A drama entitled "Abye the Clouds," also a farce entitled "Yone so deaf as those that won't hear," is to be given. Fr. A. B. Allison will furnish music. Tickets can be obtained of members or at Tainter's.

will be easy and convenient. A number of prominent capitalists are back of the move-

The reception and camp fire given by
Chas. Ward Post, next Thursday evening,
will be a notable event. Gen. Corse, postmaster of Boston, Dept. Com. Geo. L.
Goodale, Gen. Hincks of Cambridge, Asst.
Add, Gen. A. C. Monroe, Ins. Gen. Geo. S.
Evans, Col. Alfred Cromlein of Newton,
Capt. Geo. A. Reed of Saxonville, Major D.
H. L. Gleason of Natick, the officers of the
Claffin Guard, all the clergymen of Newton, Mayor Burr and members of the city
council, are expected to be present. Four
hundred invitations have been issued and a
large number have accepted. Commander
Whitney will make an address and there
will be readings, music and a banquet, with
addresses by prominent speakers.

—Mrs. Jones, housekeeper for Mr. F. E.

will be readings, music and a banquet, with addresses by prominent speakers.

—Mrs. Jones, housekeeper for Mr. F. E. Hamblin, and Miss Fisher were driving over the Walnut street crossing last Friday afternoon and Clarke's confectionery wagon passed near by. Mrs. Jones drove between the confectionery wagon and the sidewalk and struck the off horse. The animal jumped and turned partly around, colliding with the carriage driven by Mrs. Jones and overturning it. The horse cleared himself and thus saved the occupants from being dragged underneath the overturned vehicle. It was found that both ladies were injured, although Miss Fisher were ped with slight bruieses. Mrs. Jones who stored John Payne, who days the store of John Payne, who days the wounds. She was subsequently removed to the home by Officer Bosworth.

WEST NEWTON.

-Mr. and Mrs. Henry King left for Florida the last of this week, to be absent several weeks.

—Mrs. Elkins entertained a very pleasant progressive Euchre party at her residence Thursday evening.

-Mr. Fred Cook and Mr. James Ellis have returned from their visit to Washington, D. C. and Wilmington, Del.

-There will be an address by George L. Perrin at the Temperance meeting in City Hall, Sunday afternoon, and a double quartet will sing.

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-The last church sociable of the season will be held in the parlors of the Unitarian church, this, Friday evening. The entertainment will commence at 7.45.

-Fred. J. Warren and wife, formerly of this village, have removed from St. Joseph, Mo., to Chicago, Ill. Mr. Warren can be found by his friends at 922 Opera House Building.

—Mrs. Lucy Ellis Allen, the aged mother of Mr. N. T. Allen, fell from her chair to the floor while attempting to arise Wed-nesday and broke her hip. Her condition is reported as quite comfortable.

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—The next meeting of the West Newton Women's Educational club will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock, in the Unitarian church. Subject for discussion, "Alaska." Opening paper by Rev. Sheldon Jackson.

Miss Annia A Cuchwan has delichted. Opening paper by Rev. Sheldon Jackson.

—Miss Annie A. Cushman has a delightful studio in the new Park building, corner of Park square and Boylston street, Boston. There are some lovely little water color sketches of Newton scenery among her re-

—The second of the series of meetings being held under the auspices of Loyalty Lodge of Good Templars, will be held in City Hall, Sunday afternoon at 3.30. Ad-dress by Geo. L. Perin of Colorado. Music by double quartet.

The Adams Express Co. have leased the small wooden building on Davis street for office purposes, and will hereafter keep their own horse, arrangements having been made to put up the team at Mr. Cate's stable.

stable.

—The Congregational Club wil hold its last regular meeting for the season, next Monday the State of the State of

The people of West Newton are to be favored with an address by Mrs. Hoffman of Missouri, Sunday p. m., April 14, at City Hall. Other prominent speakers have been engaged to address meetings to be held every Sunday p. m. at 3.30, under the auspices of Loyalty Lodge of Good Templars.

—The ward and city committee of the temperance movement in the interest of the constitutional amendment met in the Second Congregational church last evening and perfected plans for the campaign. It was decided to hold several raillies in various parts of the city, and the services of able speakers will be secured to speak in favor of the proposed amendment.

—An invitation to the several Women's clubs in this section of the country was recently extended by the "Sorosis" of New York city, including the Educational club in this place, to attend the anniversary meeting of their society. By a unanimous vote of the members, Mrs. Walton was chosen delegate and will leave this week Saturday to be present at the reception in the evening and will remain as their guest until Thursday.

until Thursday.

—Mr. J. H. Nickerson is so much better that he was able to visit his store this week, and his many friends will be glad to hear that he is on the road to complete recovery. There are few men who would be more missed in this ward, as the many inquiries made during his illness proved. It is probable that he will soon be able to attend to his business duties as usual. Mrs. Nickerson is also much better.

—The case of Charles O. Fes. Nickerson is also much better.

music. Tickets can be obtained of members or at Tainter's.

—A joint stock company is being formed to build a \$75,000 hotel on Grove Hill park, and it is said there is no doubt of raising the money. The hotel is to be built on the higher portion of the Park and will command a magnificent view in every direction. Boating privileges on Bullough's pond will be attached to the hotel, and extensive grounds will be provided. Such a hotel would be a credit to the elety and add much to the prosperity of Newtonville. The Walnut street branch of the electric street railway will, pass so near to the hotel that access from the railroad station. The feature of the evening was

the attempt of 125 ladies and gentlemen present to pin upon the right spot the lost member of a donkey. Elegant prizes were given by Mrs. King and the fortunate pos-sessors were Mr.A. T. Sylvester, Mrs. M. D. Hills, Mr. Hawkes, Mrs. Boit, Dr. Levi Parker and Mrs. J. L. Sears.

Parker and Mrs. J. Levi Parker and Revening, by leading musicians of the Boston Symphony orchestra, under the management of Albert F. Wright. The program includes: Overture, "William Tell," Messrs. DeSeve, Heindl, Goldstein, Lafricane and Miss Whitmore; Cornet solo, Mons. Lafricaine; Reading, "The Forest Fire," Miss Murray; Duo for violin and contrabasses, Messrs. DeSeve and Goldstein; Baritone solo, Sig. Campanari; Flute solo, Herr Heindl; Soprano solo, "Shadow Song," Miss Hitch: Violin solo, Moss. DeSeve; Cornet solo, "Facilita," Sonanbule, "Mons. Goldstein; Reading, "Sonambule," Mons. Goldstein; Reading, "Aux Italiens," cornet obligato and piano accompaniment, Miss Murray; Soprano solo, "Ol Happy Day," Miss Hitch.

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-A recital was given in the City Hall, Wednesday evening, under the anspices of Newton lodge 92, 1. O. O. F., for the benefit of the Massachusetts State Odd Fellows Home. There was quite a large audience present and the program proved enjoyable and entertaining. Mr. Frederic A. Metcalf of Monroe College, oratory, was assisted by Mr.F.B. Rogers, vocalist, and Fred H. Hobart xylophone and saxophone soloists. The program follows: Reading, "Chariot Race," (Ben Hur,) Mr. Metcalf; xylophone solo, Mr. Hobart; reading, "In the Catacombs," Mr. Metcalf; vocal solo, selected, Mr. Rogers; readings, "How Ruby Played" and "Hand Car 412," Mr. Metcalf; saxophone solo, Mr. Hobart; reading, "Death Bridge of the Tay," Mr. Metcalf; vocal solo, selected, Mr. Rogers; readings, "How Ruby Played" and "Hand Car 412," Mr. Metcalf; vocal solo, "Anchored," Mr. Rogers; reading, "The readings by Mr. Metcalf were finely given, evidencing considerable dramatic talent and elocutionary power.

—Apublic meeting in the interests of the Newton. Co-operative bank was held in the City hall, West Newton, Tuesday evening. There was quite a large number present and the system of co-operative saving and investment was explained by several speakers. Mr. T. B. Fltz presided and made a brief introductory address. He said that the bank had been a success, and that such institutions were an incentive to save money. The instructions were an incentive to save money. The instruction of persons in moderate circumstances who over the savings sustitution was appropriately and the proposed properative bank are fully understood in Newton, we shall undoubtedly meet with a li

sion of the remarks shares in the second series were offered for sale and quite a number subscribed for.

—A meeting under the auspices of Loyalty lodge, Good Templars, in the interest of the constitutional prohibitory amendment, was had in the City ball, Sunday afternoon and the constitutional prohibitory amendment, was had in the City ball, Sunday afternoon and was largely attended, many being properly and the constitutional prohibitory and the constitution of the city. Mr. William H. Hanner presided and in his introductory remarks sections of the city portane of a careful subscribed and their portane of a careful and the interest details of this movement in the interest details of the portane of a careful and the should be persented to the individual. The law should peak good to the individual. The law should peak good and there should be operation amongh Cristian men and women in recently laboring to secure the necessary result. He then introduced Rev. R. A. White, pastor of the Universalist church, Newtonville, who delivered an impressive address, contrasting the proposed amendment with high license. He said that there was an honest difference of opinion as to which plan would work the best and that it was his intention to state simply plain facts that had come under his observation. He had studied the subject very carefully and had conversed and talked with those who were familiar with the question. Under high license, said the speaker, more liquor has been sold and more drunkenness resulted. This was notably the case in Chicago where high license and decreases the number of saloons but does not decrease the amount of liquor sold. It creates a monopoly and the man who pays a high license, with the advantage of a largerly increased business, reaps a larger proportion of profit. The dealer, under high license, therefore, can can afford to pay \$1000 to the government where he formerly paid \$200 and transacted a business very much smaller, for then here seen contenting with numberless other deal. tin Ward 2 may be said to be booming, for there are many houses in procession of erection, and the cellars have already been expected, and the cellars have already been expected to the composition of the part of the pool tournament under the anspices of the pool tournament the pool tournament under the anspices of the pool tournament under the anspices of the pool tournament under the anspices of the pool tournament under the anspice of the pool tournament under the anspices of the pool to the

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AUBURNDALE.

-A family of three would like a small furnished house in this village. See busi

— Mrs. F. B. Brahman is away on a visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Johnson Providence, R. I. Divers were at work in the river Wed-sday and Thursday for the purpose of e recovery of the body of Lucy Handy.

The young people had a merry time the Missionary Home on Wednesday eve ing, when the Shakespeare club were

—The sociable at the Congregationalist chapel was fully attended and the enter-tainment unusually fine on Thursday even-

—Tinkham disposed of two more horses this week. H. E. Woodberry purchased one of the animals and the other was taken by S. F. Cate.

-Rev. Mr. Bishop of Salem preached in the Methodist church here last Sunday and the pastor, Rev. Mr. Knox, occupied Mr. Bishop's pulpit.

-Edward Angell will resume his position as foreman of Mr. Pluta's market where he will be welcomed by many of his former customers and friends.

—The sociable in the Congregational church Thursday evening was quite well attended and the usual pleasant features in-cluding a collation were enjoyed.

Tinkham will probably receive a car load of horses from Vermont and northern New York in a few days, to supply numer-ous orders from parties in Newton and vicinity.

-Rev. W. G. Puddefoot of the Hane Missionary Society, widely known as a most interesting speaker, will deliver an address at the Auburndale Congregational church,next Sunday evening at 6.30 o'clock. Notwithstanding the heavy rain on Ash Wednesday, one sixth of the whole number of communicants of the church of the Messiah were present at the early celebra tion of the holy communion at 7.30 a.m.

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—The sociable of the Methodist society was held at the residence of Mrs. Sawyer, Hawthorne avenue, Wednesday evening. There was quite a large number present and the evening was enjoyed pleasantly and socially.

and socially.

—Church of the Messiah. On Tuesday evening, Feb. 26, the Women's Guild and gentlemen friends were entertained at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Henry R, Turner, Central street. A very pleasant evening add supper were enjoyed.

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—The building committee of the church
of the Messiah organized with the following order: The rector ex-officio Mr. Chas.
Edward Parker, pres; Nathaniel F. Nye,
see.; Chas. Wilhard Carter, treas; and an
auxiliary board will be later appointed.

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—The local lodge of the New England Order of Protection, recently instituted, is booming, and the membership steadily increases. At least 12 candidates will be initiated at the next meeting and many more will follow before the charter list

—The next regular meeting of Riverdal lodge No. 76, N. E. O. P., will be held in Auburn hall, Monday evening, March 18 at 8 o'clock. Candidates for either social or beneficial membership must send thei applications to the secretary or financial secretary as early as possible.

—The additions to Mr. Hardy's house or Central street will greatly improve it with in and without. The situation is unsur passed and was wisely chosen more that thirty years ago by Mr. Walworth, wh built it for the first house on the hill, now so well covered with handsome residences

so well covered with handsome residences.

—A word of special praise is due to the delightful singing and charming, unaffected manner of Miss Eva Pluta, who sang in the City Hall, March 5th. Among the company of celebrated artists, her voice had its own attraction, not only for her friends but for all who heard it. The list of talented young people in our village is really quite long, and we are proud of them—every one.

—Mr. and Mr. H.

them—every one.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert F. Blogg and Master Blogg spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willard Carter, West Newton, before their removal to their new home in Springfield, Mass. Their friends and neighbors will miss the hospitality and agreeable presence of Mr. and Mrs. Blogg, and many good wishes attend them in their departure from Auburndale. departure from Auburndale.

—The Rev. Henry L. C. Braddon of Hyde Park will preach at the church of the Messiah, next Tuesday evening, March 19, service to begin at 7-45. On Wednesday, there will be a lecture on the second penitential psalm, the thirty-second, at 4-30 p. m. Services on Thursday, viz., holy communion at 9-45 a. m. and evensong at 7-45, when the Rev. Wm. F. Cheney, of Dedham, will preach. Services, Monday and Saturday, at 4-30 p. m. and Friday at 7-45 p. m.

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—Mr. E. V. R. Thayer entertained a company of gentlemen friends at dinner in the Woodland Park hotel, last Saturday aftermoon. An excellent menu was served and at the conclusion of the material features, after-dinner remarks were made by numerous gentlemen present. The menu cards were a work of art and will be retained as pleasant sonvenirs of an enjoyable occasion. The following is a list of those present. E. V. R. Thayer, Edgar J. Sherman, C. H. Andrews, R. M. Field, Henry A. Priest, Walter Potter, John E. Thayer, James H. Blake, George A. Marden, H. T. Rockwell, W. A. Haskell, Fred Johnson, Henry B. Dennison, A. Burbank, C. W. Russell, F. H. Prince, Francis Peabody, Jr., Edwin B. Bradbury, W. R. Russell.

—Rev, Frank W. Merrill of St. Luke's.

Prince, Francis Peabody, Jr., Edwin B. Bradbury, W. H. Russell.

—Rev. Frank W. Merrill of St. Luke's, Chelsea, preached at the church of the Mossiah on Tuesday evening on the duty of careful self-examination of the Mossiah on Tuesday evening on the duty of careful self-examination of the St. Tuesday, the Rev. Alf Braddenof Christ church, Hyde Park, will preach. The rector gives on Wednesday at 4-30, some meditations on the Seven Penitential Psalms. The sixth psalm was the subject on March 13th. The Psaller was the hymnal of the Jews. The psalms were always sung—never read. The Latin titles in the prayer book were as dear to the early Christians as "Rock of Ages," "Lead Kindly Light," and a host of others are to the Christians of to-day. The crowded chapel last Sunday morning led many of our good people to wish for the speedy building of the church, the design for which was published in the Graphic not long since. Some generous donations have already been received.

—A private segment and card party was

have already been received.

—A private german and card party was given in the Woodland Park Hotel, Wednes day evening, under the matagement of Messrs, Melville A. Richards and Edward E. Leland. It was a society affair, many prominent people being present. An elegant supper was served, and music was rendered by an orchestra. Among those present were noticed: Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Felton, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Chase, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Luke, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mosner, Mr. and Mrs. William Bullivant, Mr. and Mrs. William Bullivant, Mr. and Mrs. William Bullivant, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Lovett, Mr. and Mrs. R. Etkins, Mr. and Mrs. R. Etkins, Mr. and Mrs. William Bullivant, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Lovett, Mr. and Mrs. R. Etkins, Mr. and Mrs. William Bullivant, Mr. and Mrs. R. Etkins, Mr. and Mrs. William Bullivant, Mr. and Mrs. R. Etkins, Mr. and Mrs. William Bullivant, Mr. and Mrs. H. Etkins, Mr. and Mrs. William Bullivant, Mr. and Mrs. H. Etkins, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Rilburs, Mr. Leland, Mr. Hall, Mr. Edward

Collins, Mr. Albert Metcalf, Miss Fannie Carpenter, Miss Blossom Carpenter, Miss Edward, Miss Mabel Stewart, Miss Chase, Miss Tolman, Miss Metcalf, Mrs. Fred Thayer.

"Pa," said Bobby, who was looking over his picture-book, "isn't that a picture of Jonah and the whale?" "Certainly not," replied the old man impatiently—he had been answering foolish questions all the evening—"If it were wouldn't Jonah be there, toe?" "Perhaps he's inside the whale." suggested Bobby.—|Epoch.

Bobby.—|Epoch.

"I feel very apprehensive and dejected," said the umbrella, as it dropped limply into the hat rack. "Why so?" 'Oh, I always feel badly at this time of the year." "For what reason?" "Because this is lent, you know, and that old joke—ugh," and it shuddered dismally, scattering great muddy teardrops all over the carpet.—[Merchant Traveler.

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HIS ENEMY.

The train had come and gone, and only brought one passenger. Marian turned brought one passenger. face quickly away as she caught sight of the lithe, manly figure, and be-gan to busy herself with the carriage

Eugene Landt, for Eugene Landt it was, happened to be the one human being toward whom Miss Hanford felt a strong aversion. The taint was in her blood, no doubt, for her father and his had been sworp enemies and contestants at law, and to the final triumph of John at law, and to the final trumph of some was due the change from wealth to powerty that had fallen on Hugh Hanford, and left his only and motherless child to a hard fight with fortune. Marian always believed that sorrows and disappointments had caused her father's sud. den death. She could not look at the Landt mansion, nor at anything that bore the hated name, without exceeding bitterness of spirit. She had a home in her uncle's house, and taught the dis trict school. Every one was sorry for Hanford's pretty daughter. Mr. Han-ford's pretty daughter did not seem to be sorry for herself. She kept her head up and faced the world bravely. When Eugene Landt returned from his five years' sojourn abroad he came to her apologetically one day on some trifling business connected with the school and held out to her the hand of fellowship. She comported herself with such pride and cold dignity that his first visit was his last. Nor did he venture to bow to her on the street again. He had known her since childhood, and been her playmate and classmate, but he taught himself now to pass her by like a stranger.

At the first glimpse of her enemy, as

we have said, Marian became deeply occupied in the readjustment of her car-riage robe, keeping her face carefully averted from the tall figure that was striding up and down the platform. was waiting for Jake, the station hand, to pack the wagon floor behind her with some bags that had come from uncle Reub by the noon express. It was snow-ing fast and furiously; the flakes were whirling quicker and quicker in wild gusts of wind from the northeast. hour ago even no one could have fore seen such a storm, but here it was in all its splendid strength and fury, blotting out the fair landscape, and making even the near distance wavering and indis-tinct. There was no other vehicle at the station besides Marien's little open carriage, and no other human being to be seen but the deliberate Jake and the other individual whom Marian declined to

"Thank you, Mr. Stover, very, very, much." The soft, little voice was sweet as a silver bell.

"Is it all right now? Everything in? "Is stall right now? Everything in?
Do you think," doubtingly, "that it
would be of any use to raise my umbrella?" She can scarcely see Jake's face
through the hurrying snow flakes.
"No ma'am, not a bit," was the prompt

reply. "You best jest git along quick—that's all. This storm ain't goin' to be no lighter 'fore mornin'. It'll be heavier a blamed sight nor you think for. Lant," leaning forward confidentially, "he's in a fix. His folks don't know he were comin." He dunno what to do."

"Oh," said Marian coldly. She gave her robe an extra tuck and shook her veil out once more before tying it across her face; and then it appeared that Mr. Stover had been misled on the informa-tion he had just vouchsafed. Mr. Landt knew exactly what to do. He came across the platform with his quick, light step, touched his fur cap and said gay-

"Friend, neighbor, Christian, may I beg you to give me a lift as far as you are going—that is, if it be anywhere in the direction of New Church? I am unfor-tunate. Ah," he said, in genuine sur-prise, "It is Miss Hanford," and then he

"Um, why she go all the way to New Church," said Jake, obligingly. "She go past your door, Mist Gene. You are

"Yes," said Marian, in a clear voice that had more chill in it than the biting wind itself. "Certainly I pass your door, Mr. Landt."

And then, poor girl, she was con-strained to make room for him and to feel in the midst of her anger and despair that she was sheltered by his strong pair that she was sheltered by his strong figure from the worst violence of the storm, and must be more or less com-forted despite her detestation by his near presence though the long and dreary ride that lay before them. "Go on, now, you ain't got a second to lose." said Jack encouragingly. "This

and dreary ride that lay before them.

"Go on, now, you ain't got a second to lose," said Jack, encouragingly. "This is going to be a bizzard, this time. 'Night, Miss Hanford; I'm good and glad Mist Gene's along o'ye."

But the friendly remarks of Mr. Stover were blown rudely from his lips and did not reach the ears for which they were intended, and in another moment Marian and Eugene were speeding away through the gathering twillight, meeting the tempest side by side.

Of course Mr. Landt at once offered to take the reins, but was met with a very prompt and polite refusal, and set back, feeling decidedly snubbed; but he was amused, and smiled to himself a good deal, with an expression it was just as well Marian did not see. He knew by her upright attitude and the tension of her grasp that it demanded all her strength to hold the horse, which was fresh and swift and excited by the storm as well. He pitted her presently and pleaded again.

"Mr. Landt," she said severely, "I must drive. The horse is a new one. "He does not know the way, and I should not feel safe unless my own hand was on the rain."

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"He doesn't know the way," repeated Eugene, in an odd tone. "That's bad, Miss Hanford. I am very much afraid more of us will know it, if the spow continues at this rate." For, indeed, they scarcely could see the horse's back; the space before them seemed full of black particles, and they are breathing snow flakes instead of air.

When they had gone perhaps a mile in glence, Marian drew in one stiff hand under the robe an instant; then, stil smiling covertly, Mr. Landt quietly was the still smiling covertly.

grasped the reins away from her, and she covered both hands, gladly enough. No word accompanied this proceeding. Marian's eyes were full of angry tears, and Eugene's were blinking off the crystals that stung and hurt them. It was growing so dark now that not even the nearest trees on the roadside were visible. "I really don't know where I am". Eugene murning neering right visible. "I really don't know am," Eugene murmured, peering right and left with anxious glances. "Do you. Miss Hanford?"

and left with anxious glances. "Do you. Miss Hanford?"

"So far I do. The school-house is just a little beyond. I could walk there bludfold. We'll pass it in about half a minute, The road isn't very good just here. If you could drive more slowly—"

But scarcely had the words struck the air when the wagon turned over. Miss Hanford tumbled into a snow-drift that had already heaped itself on the roadside, and lay there, a mulled, indistinguishable heap, and Mr. Landt half fell, haif sprang beyond her, but was on his feet instantly again. The horse was also on his feet and going into the distance at a fine gallop, the sound of which was soon lost on the sweep of the angry wind.
"Are you hurt?" Are you hurt?"

He had gathered Miss Hanford up in his arms, and was holding her as easily as if she had been a child.
"I don't know," said Marian, struggling promptly to regain her footing on the earth; but the justant she accomplished

room tellow, said maran, strigging promptly to regain her footing on the earth; but the instant she accomplished this a sharp cry of pain escaped her.
"My foot," she said faintly. "Something is the matter with my foot."
"A sprain, perhaps," Eugene said, compassionately. "Just try to walk a step or two."

or two."

She did trv, then caught at Eugene's arm with both her hands.

"I can't," she said, quietly. "The pain is terrible."

"Then good heavers, what are we to do? I could carry you easily—but—to keep my feet in this wind."

"You can carry me to the school-house, if you will. I have the key here. I am sorry, Mr. Landt, to give you this trouble

"The very thing," he said, promptly.
"Lucky it's so near. Just put your arm round my neck please. That's right."
He took her up lightly, and began to plod his way, with bent head, against the

storm.
"You will have to guide me, Miss Hanford, it you can."
"Go on straight a little way—a few steps further. Now, turn off the road—the footpath is here. Now you are all right. You'll feel the fence in a minute."
"I feel it now." wild Florence, humping. "Ifeel it now," said Eugene, bumping himself against it; "and here's the gate. Actually 'we are in luck,' as Mr. Storer

says."

Another minute's careful plodding brought them to the door, which Eugene unlocked. Within all was cimmerian darkness, but the change to a warm, dry atmosphere was a delightful sensation. Mr. Landt groped his way to a seat, deposited Miss Hanford thereon, and under her direction lit the little lamp above the desk and kindled a cheerful fire in the big drum stove. Then he removed her snow-powdered wrags and his own overceat, shook them vigorously and hung them in friendly companionship near the warmth to dry.

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"Now, we must see a little to the poor foot, Miss Hanford," he said,going down on his knees before her. Let me remove your boot. Don't be afraid; I won't hurt you."

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But despite his light, careful touches, Marian winced with pain. The remove of the stocking was accomplished with an air of almost professional gravity, and then Eugene, having satisfied himself that no bones we be reflected himself that no bones we be reflected himself that no bones we be reflected himself that no bones we have been prosen be tore in stripe his own linen handkerchief, reflected it with snow and swathed the sender ankle and instep tightly. Then he said, cheerfully:

"Now we are ahead of the swelling, any way, and I'll make you as comfortable as I can. Let me lift you into this armelet, and stood looking down kindly on her pale, unsmilling face.

"It's too bad, of course," he said, gently, "but accidents will happen. We must make the best of it."

"Of course," said Marian. "Thank you." She looked anywhere but at the bright and reassuring face above her. "I am very, very sorry this has occurred. If only I had kept the reins! I might have matter. It can't be helped now."

At this overflow of base and truly feminine ingratitude Mr. Landt merely raised his eyebrows and walked over to distant bench, whereon he settled himself in an attitude of repose. The little clock between the windows ticked sociably, and the pleasant purring of the fire suggested coay companionship; but these two very handsome young people, who fate had paired off in this novel and unexpected fashion, listened to the free and an assenced book here and there, yawning undisguisedly over an old almanach ediscovered, and altogether betrayed the untoxt weariness of soul. As for Miss Hanford, she still sat quite motionless and very pale, with an expression of pride and subdued resentment on her clear-cut features that Eugene sould not fall to see and understand.

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"It could try."
But there's no need. We are comtortable enough for the present. The wind must abate before long; and at any rate," she went on with firmness, "It couldn't stay here alone, Mr. Landt. I could not allow you to leave me helpless in this destitute place."
"But,my dear Miss Hanford, the storm may last till morning, and certainly we it couldn't—I couldn't—I couldn't—I. "He stopped embarassed. She was looking at him with such grave unconscious eyes that he could not bring himself to hint at the impropriety of their remaining to tether, as viewed by the outside world, even for the length of time that had already passed.

"If you will not let me leave yon," he stowed a wink on Eugene as larght again. She's goin' up to school tomorrow, I believe."

"He nodded and passed along the veranda to the farmyard gate.
In a moment Marian came. She was blushing and breathing fast, and her possibly procure assistance? You can't

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She ended in a passion of tears.

Mr. Landt continued to look down at her with a sort of startled, shocked expression. It was as if her delicate hand had struck him in the face and he was powerless to return the blow. He drew a deep breath and walked away, after a moment, and sat down as far from her as possible, his face averted, and his head leaning on his hand.

Marian continued to sob convulsively. All the wrongs and sorrows of her father's life came surging back to her, an overwhelming tide; the flood-gates of her heart seemed bursting asunder before the pent-up-bitterness of years. She was struggling with all her might to regain calmness, but the very effort seemed to increase the violence of her emotion. As for Eugene —strong, hurt, wretched as he was—he only longed, with a strong man's compassion, to sooth and comfort his frank little enemy who had so bitterly spoken her mind.

Eugene awoke with a shiver; the lamp had burned out, the fire was almost dead, and—what was this? Beyond the window panes clear moonlight and a cloudless sky! Miss Hanford was still asleep in her chair as she had been for some time before Eugene himself succumbed. The wind had gone down, and now there was nothing to prevent him taking the road to New Church except—
He lit a match and looked at his watch. It was 2 oʻclock a. m. He walked to the window and stared out helplessly. Of what avail was the calm brightness of earth and sky? It had come too late. What now could turn aside this disgrace that had fallen on an innocent young life, and for which he, perhaps, had been to blame? There was only one thing that could be done. As he opened the door a little way and looked into the night, a piercing wind swept by him, and the sleeper on the chair stirred and wakened. "Who is that?" she demanded quickly. "Oh, oh! Mr. Landt, is it you? Where is the light?"

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"It has burned out, Miss Hanford. We were both asleep."
"Oh!" she repeated, but now in a tone of relief. And there isn't any more oil." She seemed to have slept away her anger and resentment. Her voice sounded sweet and friendly. "But the storm is over. I am so glad!"
"Glad?" Eugene said nothing. He closed the door and came and kneeled by the fire, blowing the half-dead embers into a flame, and laying more wood until the room was partly lighted by the pleasant glow.
"I think it would be a good idea to watch from the window," she suggested

fail to see and understand.

"Your people will be alarmed about you, won't they, Miss Hanford?" he inquired at length, standing with his back to the fire and looking very bored and very handsome, "especially if the wagon goes home empty."

"I think the borse will take the road to his old home in Meadowsville." she said, composedly. "He would hardly know the way to Uncle Reub's. My people will simply conclude that I was afraid to drive in this storm, and that I have staid over in the village."

"Well, really, I don't see that there is any hope of better weather. I thought I ought to start along and try to get to New Church and send some one to bring you home."

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walk, and you don't want to stay here all night."

"But the weather may change."

"That's the merest chance, Miss Hanford. We can't depend on that. I think I had better make a start. If I am blown into the canal," he added lightly, "or perish otherwise—"

"But I have told you I will not be left here alone," she interrupted, quickly and indignantly. "It is your fault, sir, in the first place, that this accident has happened. If you had allowed me to keep the reins we would probably be safe at home by this time, instead of which—"

She threw out her hands with a gesture that finished the sentence eloquently enough.

"May I ask your reasons for not wishing to stay alone?" he asked ironically, "that is, if there can be anything like reason connected with such a whim."

"I have told you I am utterly powerless and I am afraid."

"Of ghosts, perhaps, or mice, which is it?"

Miss Hanford did not answer. She, too, bit her lip, but it was to check back her quickly rising tears.

"I am sorry you are so unreasonable," he said quickly, "so childishly absurd. It places us both in a very ridiculous position."

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"Dearest—but you must have known!"
"Only tell me by what means. I might as well say that—you—must have

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"Oh, Marian."
"Well," she said, but she laid her cheek against his arm to say it, "I didn't love you the least bit—not at all, until yery, very lately. It seems I am only just beginning to know you now. And then—well, I—oh, Eugene, you are good!"

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To this little outburst of coherent eloquence Mr. Landt merely said:—
"My precious girl,"
Presently she held up her obstinate little head again.
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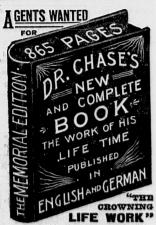
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Mrs. Frederick Manton, residing on Commonwealth Avonue
Boston, contracted a severe cold while at tending an evening reception, which is impaired her health that she never recovered from the third you not know that nearly all the paradoxical dressing which you saw during July in Hyde Park, as you see that young women on the opposite side of Market street eligible beginnings, but took fulfill, the street is only a cold that files to the heart and causes instant death; only a cold that settles in the death, with lingering maderic, and brings thad cold; no woman ever became a confirmed invalid who could not trace its origin to a cold. Such being the terrible truth, the necessity of plain to all colds. Such being the terrible truth, the necessity of plain to all colds. While most colds go direct to the kidneys or bladder, I have now have north to 'Frisco, from the balmy was north to 'Frisco, from impromptu "touch of Nature," I assure you. You remember very well how your 'Frisco. We all naturally follow the gregarious band of "tender feet," and move north to 'Frisco, from the balmy climate of the Santa Clara Valley, or even from the semi-tropical San Gabriel Valley of lower California. Such a change as this is not conducive to our enjoyment

during our stay in the city of the winds. The coast range which offers an effectual barrier to the trade-winds throughout southern and central California, permits The coast range which ofters an enectual barrier to the trade-winds throughout southern and central California, permits their entrance at the sharp and sudden break in the chain, which is opposite San Francisco and is known as the "Golden Gate." At this point they expend their accumulated fury over a small area of territory, much as if they had been all at once liberated from that "bag of winds" which the poet has made the subject of his classic verse. It is a perplexing question to know what to wear; you ought to have a ward-robe to choose from, which should range from seersucker suits to furs and heavy woollens. You start from your hotel to go sight-seeing on a day in May. The early morning is oppressively warm; you long for thinner ciothing and a pain leaf fan. About eleven o'clock in the morning you welcome the west wind which now blows so gently that it seems like a smile of a Mediterranean zepliyr. At two o'clock you are past becoming disgusted with your "gentle zephyr," which you have thought of so poetically. At two o'clock in the afternoon you have gained wonderful impetus for sight-seeing. You are blown into the street and in the way of people as if you were a votary of Bacchus. San Francisco, which is naturally of metropolitan character, sits on more hills than Rome ever dreamed of doing. In fact the whole city is practically built on a hill so that on the heights in a clear day, one can obtain a beautiful view of San Francisco Bay, Golden Gate, etc., the Twin Peaks, etc. This city has one of the linest harbors in the world, and it occupies an important position in connection with the world's commerce; the shipping interests are of vast proportions. The growth of the city has been very rapid, especially since the opening of the Central Pacific Railroad in 1869; and the present number of inhabitants is conceded to be over 300,000. The census of 1850 gave it the ninth piace in the list of large cities.

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The greatest curiosity in San Francisco is the Chinese quarter, a rectangular block seven squares in length by three and four in breath. It is near the business centre, and only a few blocks away from the palaces of the railway millicnaires. The houses are nearly all tall, decayed b ildie gs, sw rming with tenants. The blocks are cut up into sections by narrow alleys, and filled with squalid, underground dens, and attics whose overhanging dormer windows shut out all but a slender patch of the sky. The cellars are occupied as shops, factories, or opium dens. The main streets are lined by stores of large Chinese merchants. You find yourself in a populous corner of China. Even the fronts of the houses have assumed a Celestial aspect, not only in the signs and placards at the windows and shop fronts, but in the altered architecture and decorations. An interesting experience is to pass a half hour in watching the performance in a Chinese theatre, and listening to the ear-piercing, mountful music, and then adjourn to a neighboring restaurant and sip the genuine Chinese tea in celestial style, and taste the cakes, preserved water melon, and sweetmeats. In the stores and other portions of the Chinese quarter the "tenderfoot" is received with a bland, celestial smile, and goods are sold "heap cheapee." "Amelican man do not sell that for two bits, me only sell heap cheapee." "Anelican man do not sell that for two bits, me only sell heap cheapee." "As the street car service, which consists largely

bits, me only sell heap cheapee?" says the celestial "John."

In some particulars and notably in the street car service, which consists largely of "cable roads," it is in advance of older cities of the country. These cable lines run through the principal thorough fares of the city; you can start from the Palace Hotel and ride through Market, Haight, or over Powell and Jackson streets on to the heights. In this way you can ride over hills which are steeper and longer than those of Albany. As you sit in the car, one moment you are leaning against the fair San Franciscan girl of golden blonde hair and pencilled eye-brows; but the next moment you find yourself rap d by sliding away from her, not to stop until you bump into a fat and solid woman who is too massive to be started on the slippery and precipitous car seat. In front of the cars is stationed the "grip man" who rings the gong and starts or stops the car. These cars average eight miles an hour and give the sight-seer an opportunity of seeing all of the city for a nickel. I remembered, with amusement, the incident told of the antipode; when landed in 'Frisco he saw for the first time these cable-cars. With a look of astonishment on his face, he at once exclaimed "No pushee, no pullee; go like —""

The residences of the millionaires, such as Stanford, Flood, Mrs. Mark Hopkins, etc., are, for the most part, on Calirornia street, on what is known as "Nob Hill." You will be surprised to find so many of these palatial homes of wood, which you have doubtless seen pictured before coming to the city in some Taber collection of photographs, and which you had supposed to be at least of stone. But the dampness of the city and the tendency to earthquakes renders it more practical to build in wood. And then, there are no stone quarries in this region. The late Mr. Flood, whose residence is one of the few stone houses on "Nob Hill," was

obliged to have the stone shipped from the east by the way of the Cape.

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NEWTON CENTRE

-Mr. Edward May leaves to-day, we understand, for Florida.

-The Baptists enjoyed a social on Wednesday evening in their parlors.

The Baptist sociable at the chapel was rgely attended on Wednesday evening. -Mr. Robert S. Gardiner of Lake avenue returned from a trip to Canada on Tuesday

-Mr. Charles S. Davis of Pleasant street urned on Saturday from a trip to New

-Miss Mary Nason of Maine is visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert R. Loring of Crescent

Mr. Charles Everett of Parker street eends building a new house on Kimball eet immediately.

-Mrs. William N. Bartholomew returned on Wednesday from Attieboro Falls where she has been visiting.

—Mr. Edward B. Bowen of Sumner street left yesterday for Montana, on a three months' business trip.

—Mr. Dwight Chester is having the inte-rior of his house extensively decorated and other improvements made.

—Mr. and Mrs. Stanton D. Loring re-rned on Saturday from Ohio, where they ve been during the past week.

—Mr. Henry Warren of Station street left on Saturday for Chicago, expecting to be gone on business for some time.

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—Messrs. A. A. Sherman & Co.'s enlarged store is well filled with the best in the way of fruits, vegetables, fish and meats.

—Mrs. Stevens occupied Miss Hood's place at the Baptist organ on Sunday last, Miss Hood not feeling able to be present.

-W. F. Woodman has made quite an addition to his stock of goods, and the GRAPHIC can always be found at his store

—The Newton Centre branch of the Wo-men's Auxiliary met on Wednesday after-noon at the house of Mrs. Augustus C. Ferry of Pleasant street.

—Miss Lizzie Thatcher of Beacon street has left this week for South Carolina with her aunt, Mrs. Train, and Mr. Harry Dew-ey, both of Concord, N. H.

—Complaint is made that old papers dumped on thewaste heaps are blown about frightening horses, and are not improving the appearance of the village.

—A prominent business man of the Centre went to Boston this week for the first time since January, which shows what a great business centre we have become.

-Rev. Mr Constantin of Turkey made an address in the Congregational church on Sunday evening. He spoke particularly of Constantinople and was very interesting.

—Miss Agnes Thrasher, formerly of Newton Highlands, nas been visiting Miss Dora Stuart for the past ten days. Miss Thrasher is living in Portland, Maine, now.

—Rev. W. A. Farren recently of North Billerica and a graduate of Newton Theo-logical Institution has received and accept-ed a call to the pastorate of the Baptist church in New London, N. H.

—On Tuesday evening Prof. English addressed the young people's meeting on the subject of "Depravity of Man." He treated the subject in an able manner, his views being rather milder than those held by many.

many.

—The Unitarian Club met on Monday evening in the vestry of the Unitarian church. About fifteen members were present to listent to an address of Dr. Hale's, read by Rev. H. L. Wheeler. A discussion followed the paper.

—Miss Bush, one of the teachers in the Granmar school, leaves this week to be married. Miss Tenny, who has taught the fifth grade for several years is to take the seventh class in Miss Bush's place, and a sister of Miss Tenny will take the fifth class.

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—It has been decided to continue the course of lectures, delivered at the young people's meetings at the Baptist church during another term. They have been well attended in the past and the young people will certainly be glad to hear that there are to be more.

—Some of the singers of the village had the pleasure of singing in the Albani con-cert on Wednesday evening in Music Hall. Mme. Albani is certainly one of the finest singers in the world, and it was quite a compliment to the Boylston Club to partic-ipate in the "Gallia."

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—Messrs. Pearmain & Brooks, of the Boston Stock Exchange, have issued a very handy pamphlet, giving statistics and fluctuations of railroad bonds and stocks. The books are for gratuitous distribution and will be of great benefit to investors. Full statistics are given of the leading railroads, giving the length of the roads, the amount of stock, the indebtedness and the dividends for the past two years.

Cal. Edwin H. Haskell, president of

dends for the past two years.

—Col. Edwin H. Haskell, president of the "constitutional amendment campaign committee" writes the Boston Globe that the attorney general of the Commonwealth has given the following construction of the prohibitory amendment, "That the proposed amendment does not interfere with the making of cider by farmers or any one else, for their own use, or the sale of it when first made as sweet elder.

—On Wednesday evening the Methodist society enjoyed a sociable in their vestry. The entertainment took the form of a quotation party. Numbered envelopes had been sent some days previous to all members of the congression, inclosing in each, been sent some any sprevious to ain mean-bers of the congregation, inclosing in each, besides a printed quotation from some au-thor, an invitation to contribute something in aid of the parsonage fund. The envel-opes were handed in on the evening of the gathering, and their numbers written con-secutively on a blackboard in full view of the audience. They were then opened, the contributions noted on the board opposite their respective numbers, and the enclosed quotation in each, read, and an opportuni-ty given for guessing the author of the same, prizes being offered to the gentleman and lady who should guess the greatest number. The contributions footed up the handsome sum of \$165, and the successful guessers were Miss Annie Clarke and Mr. Arthur Fowle. The orchestra which came together for the theatricals in February, kindly furnished music during the evening, which was much enjoyed by all.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

-Dr. E. Thompson has removed his office from Forest street to Walnut street. -Mr. A. J. Gibson has terminated his gagement with Mr. A. D. Hall in the

—Mrs. C. P. Clark of New Haven made a short visit this week to her son, Mr. C. P. Clark, Jr.

-Mr. Ogden, who is at Westboro for treatment, is reported to be in an improved condition.

—The baseballists have commenced to solicit subscriptions to enable them to purchase uniforms.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Ayer have returned home after an absence of two or three weeks visiting friends.

The decorators are at work frescoing the hall in the new block. We would suggest that a mass meeting be held in the new

hall when ready for occupancy, and the

The family of Dr.S.L.Eaton have arrived, and they now occupy the house leased by him, of Dr. Burr. The Chautauquas met this week with rs. E. J. Hyde. The next meeting will with Mrs. Richards.

—Another school house will probably be built in the near future, either upon the present school house lot, or up towards

— Mr. O. C. Pullen, a resident of the Highlands, will open a market in the new Stevens block, and has commenced the work of fitting it up.
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of fitting it up.

—Work has recommenced on the cellar for the block to be built for Mr. O. E. Bowen. Mr. Cahill of Needham has the

-Mr. C. H. Young, who has been confined to the house several weeks by illness, is out again, and left for a trip to Chicago, on Wednesday.

—The meeting of the Monday club this week was at Mrs.Webster's. Mrs. Hodson will receive the club next week. The lecture by Mrs. Hersey was deferred until the 25th.

25th.

—Mr. E. Moulton, the grocer, after waiting long for his new store to be completed, opened the same on Saturday morning last. It has been tastefully fitted up with bins, counters and shelving in ash, one of Potter's patent iee chests for butter, etc., and large plate-glass show-windows, makes this one of the handsomest stores in the city. Mr. Moulton has a large and select stock of first class groceries, etc., and with an obliging corps of assistants, he hopes to receive a liberal share of the patronage of the public.

the public.

—This community has been saddened by the news of the death of Mrs. Harry B. Clark, who died at Winter Park, Fla., on saturday morning, March 2. Mrs. Clark had gone to Florida for her health, and although it was understood that she had not realized the benefit which her many friends hoped from the change of climate, yet few was beloved by all who knew her, and the sympathies of all are with her husband and motherless child.

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—Attendance upon the religious meetings at the Congregational church has been large on both afternoon and evening of this week. Her Mr. Her husband and evening of this week. Her Mr. Her husband her has been a similar and flicit ovangelist, depending on the truth the serial press to act on men's minds and hearts. This truth he has earned the experiments of the serial has been faithfully pointed out. There has been no sentimental issum-nor resort to exciting methods in the work, but a calm, fearless and foreible presentation of truth. Ideals of nobler Christian living have been urgently presented also. His sermons on "Christian Separateness" and on "Growth in Grace" are earnestly to be commended as particularly helpful to the Christian. His appeals to those not Christians to decide for Christ are the earnest putting of Christ's own appeals. The meeting will continue a few days longer.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

-Mr. John Thomason, who has been confined to the house for a number of days is about again.

-Mr. C. E. Hussey entertained a number of friends at his home on High street on Thursday evening.

Thursday evening.

The revival services, after a series of meetings lasting seven weeks, closed or Sunday evening at the Methodist church. - The prayer meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society will be held on Wednes-day at 7.30 p. m., at the Methodist vestry.

Rev. S. L. Holman of Boston will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday at 10.45 a. m. and at 6.30 p. m. Sunday school at 12 noon.

—A committee of the Quinobequin Association have in charge the subject of the celebration of the 21st anniversary of the

—Mrs. Frank Tucker of Haverhill, and formerly of this village, is visiting friends in the place. Mr. Tucker, a few years ago was an efficient member of the Newton police force.

police force.

—On Saturday of last week as Henry Palmer was driving the grocery team of Mr. H. A. Sherman, the horse became frightened and unmanageable, running through Chestnut street, throwing the driver to the ground and injurying himself as well as smashing the wagon. The boy was taken to his home, where he has since been confined. His injuries though serious and painful are not of an alarming nature, as fortunately no bones were broken.

NONANTUM.

-Mrs. Clara Stanton has returned from Washington, D. C.

-Mr. Thos. Longbottom and family left wn Monday morning without waiting to d their many acquaintances good bye.

—The sidewalk on California street is very much cut up with teams passing over it in consequence of the street being in such a bad condition. There is a good deal of unfavorable omment upon the change of the hours of ir police officers, leaving us part of the lay without an officer.

—Much credit is due to Mr. Joseph Hanson for his readiness to assist those in distress. Recently he found a family in deep distress in this village and went to work and raised about thirty dollars for their

assistance.

—The net proceeds of the young ladies' entertainment at the North church last Friday evening was one hundred and eighty dollars, which has been handed over to the standing committee for disbursement. Too much credit cannot be given the young ladies for their efforts in behalf of the society. Much of the success of this entertainment is due to the untring efforts of Miss Carrie Green and Miss Susan Armstrong.

strong.

—Mr. Israel Oldroyd, formerly of this village, but who has been residing for the past three years in Patterson, N. J., died quite suddenly at that place last Tuesday morning. Mr. Oldroyd was well to all appearances until five days before his death, when he was taken with inflammation of the stomach, and died after only four days illness. He was about fifty years of age, a man of sterling character and strict integrity. The remains were interred at Thompsonville, Ct., on Friday, Mrs. J. L. Ballentyne and Mr. W. H. Ballentyne attended the funeral. Mr. Oldroyd leaves a widow and four children.

—The great demand for the stock of the Atkinson House-Furnishing Com-pany of Maine still continues, and the number of shares for sale grows daily less. On April 1st the price per share will be \$12.00, or \$2.00 above par. The ability of the company to continue to pay 10 per cent cannot be questioned. Stock subscribed for now will draw a full 5 per cent dividend in July. Call on or address for particulars, David W. Sears, 27 Milk street, Room 5, Boston.

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Why I Am a Prohibitionist.

The following is an abstract of an es-say read in Boston before an association of Episcopal clergymen by the Rev. Dr. Shinn of Newton. He referred, in begin ning, to an effort which had been made to represent the Episcopal Church as opsed to prohibition, and showed how absurd it was for any one set of men to pretend to be representatives of a great. broad organization that tolerated many differing views.

one had any authority given him to say that the Episcopal Church as a body favored high license and opposed pro-hibition. Its members were at liberty to decide for themselves which plan seemed

best for the cause of good morals and religion.

There was, however, a growing sentiment among many members of this body, that they ought to be in the front rank of all moral reforms, and that they best represented their Church who broke away from a conservatism which is often only another name for inertness. From this point he proceeded to examine some of the different experiments which had been made in the past, to remedy intemperance, and then gave his reasons for favoring prohibition.

There were five reasons:

1. That the evils resulting from the drink habit, infinitely overbalance any gratification it brings.

2. That the drink habit is one of the most serious hindrances to the spread of Christianity.

Christianity.

3. That the drinking saloon has be-

Christianity.

3. That the drinking saloon has become a dangerous power in politics, in social life, and in the control of some industrial associations.

4. That all other methods for checking intemperance have failed.

5. That the time has come when the sober people of this State can adopt prohibition and enforce it, if they will give up their divisions and unite upon this one simple issue.

After meeting the objection that prohibition does not prohibit, he discussed the question of whether or not the State had the right to abridge personal liberty in this way, and showed that the State could enact such measures as would secure the best results for the majority, and especially that it could check that which threatened to undermine the foundations upon which the State itself was founded.

He made an especial appeal, in closing, to the people who had hitherto stood aloof from the temperance movement, and to others who had been repelled by injudicious speeches made by prohibitionists. He urged a union of all friends of temperance upon the one square is sue of—"Shall the drink traffic rule the State of Massachusetts"

Every vote against the proposed amendment, to be presented to the people on the 22nd of April, is a vote in favor of the degredation and ruin of of men.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Newton Horticultural Seciety, held Feb. 20, 1889, the following res-

Resolved, That the Newton Horticultural Society desire to express, through the medium of the public press, their entire satisfaction in the efforts that are now being made to awaken the people to the great importance of preserving the forests throughout our country. In New England, and especially in Northern New Hampshire as well as in other regions, the forests are fast disappearing before the axe of the logger. Not only are certain districts thus robbed of their chief attraction to lovers of natural scenery, but the value of the streams which take their rise among them, for manufacturing purposes, is seriously impaired, not only by the droughts but by the inundations thereby produced. Our country-men generally must be educated up to a knowledge of the important truths which so vitally concern them, and we therefore cordially welcome every effort however humble, to bring about so desirable an end. Resolved, That the Newton Horticul-

however humble, to bring about so desirable an end.

Especially do we recognize the value of the weekly diffusion of knowledge on Forestry in all its relations to the interest of the people, made by "Garden and Forest," could its articles on this subject be more widely diffused and brought to the notice of the capitalist, the farmer, the contractor, the builder, in fact every one, the result would be most satisfactory.

one, the result would be most satisfactory.

It would be unwise to sit down and close our eyes against matters which so intimately concern ourselves as well as coming generations. We therefore, as members of a society designed to foster and promote a love for the beautiful and useful in nature would entreat our fellow citizens and countrymen to give new and persistent attention to all that concerns the preservation of the forests.

E. W. Wood, C. N. Brackett, C. W. Ross, J. R. Leeson, ex-committee.

L. H. Farlow, Sec'y.

The Case of Lieut. Williams.

I have seen your reference to Lieut. Williams, Company C, 5th Regt., M. V. M. who are so unceremoniously rejected

the public to know just what the "other absurdity, when we consider that the average age of all our soldiers in the

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M. who are so unceremoniously rejected by the Military Board at its last sesson. It would be an interesting matter for the public to know just what the "other reasons" were. The excuse of age is an absurdity, when we consider that the late war was under 21 years.

Williams is nearly 22 years of age. He has been in the employ of Baeder, Adamson & Co., for the past seven years with conduct commending himself to every one with whom he has come in contact. He has not purposely neglected a single duty in this long period, and is a young man of very much more than average ability. Having served as a soldier myself for three years during the rebellion, and being of a disposition to advance rather than to retard worthy young men. Williams is nearly 22 years of age. He has been in the employ of Baeder, Adamson & Co., for the past seven years. with ability. Having served as a soldier myself for three years during the rebellion, and being of a disposition to advance rather than to retard worthy young men, I took more than ordinary interest in his promotion, especially when I learned an impression had gone out that he would be rejected by a Military Board, the members of which as I understand it are sworn to do their duty honestly and without discrimination.

I knew his character in connection with Bae ler, Adamson & Co., was worthy and was astonished when it was intimaed to me that he was elected by the unworthy portion of his company, which I should judge, by the flattering vote he received, must have included the most of its members.

I looked into the matter and found not an officer in the company could raise an objection worthy of a soldiers consider.

and found he considered him an excellent soldier. A former Captain who has been referred to as a fine officer writes me. "I always considered him an intelligent and willing soldier."

He carried the medal as the best drilled men in his company. His bearing as a soldier caused General Peach to stop at Brigade Headquarters to question and compliment him.

Why all this opposition? One man in the 5th Regiment can probably answer that question. He has carried his point. The young man has been driven from his company, the State has lost a first rate citizen soldier and the 5th Regiment one who would have made an officer worthy of the State.

This whole matter indicates to me the farce of an election by the men of a company unless the candidate has first received permission from any officer whose good will he may not have.

My experience in this matter has not given me a very high ideal of the militia.

Respectfully Yours

JOHN KNOX MARSHALL.

Newton Christian Endeavor Union.

The annual meeting of the Newton Christian Endeavor Union was opened with a short praise service followed by the reading of Scripture and prayer. Preceding the election, a secretary protem. was chosen who read the report of the previous meeting. The nominating committee then made their report, and the list of officers, as brought by them, was accepted, the secretary casting one ballot. The officers for the coming year are Mr. George H. Coffin, of the Upper Falls Society, president; A. T. Hill of the Auburndale Congregational Society, vice president; and Miss E. M. Fletcher of the Lowry Society, Nonantum, secretary. The president, on taking the chair, suggested that although much had been done in the past, more could be done in the future; he wished the hearty co-operation of all, that the best work possible should be done. At this point reference was made to the sickness of the retiring was made to the sickness of the retiring president, and a motion was made that informal expression of the Union be sent him expressing the thanks of the Union for his service and devotion during the past year, remembering at the same time his wife, who has been so confined to his bedside. A rising vote of the Union attested its approval, and the mover of the motion, Mr. Charles Davidson, was selected to carry the expression. The tonic tested its approval, and the mover of the motion, Mr. Charles Davidson, was selected to carry the expression. The topic of the evening was the motto of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, "For Christ and the Church." In beginning new work we must get inspiration for it. Although our motto may seem a double one, in reality it is single; one organization—Christ and his Church. The Sunday School and the Endeavor Society are as two hands to the church. The Sunday School is the elder of the two, but the growth of the latter has been marvellously rapid and many have been won through it to Christ and His church. Our young people must interest themselves in the regular church work. We must also make them feel that we want their help and guidance; that we do not feel as if we were a separate organization or wished to run the church or occupy a position that should be held only by those of age and experience.

rate organization or wished to run the church or occupy a position that should be held only by those of age and experience.

In many meetings we hear prayers offered for the church and the Sunday school, but no petition is offered for the society and its spiritual growth. In one of his battles, Napoleon called the attention of one of his generals to a fort and wished him to take it. The general suggested the difficulties in the way. Napoleon replied that he did not ask him to suggest difficulties, but to take the fort. After a moment's hesitation he replied, "General, give me a good grip of your hand," and went forth to victory. We must heed our Master's wishes and commands, and getting a good grip of Hishand go forth to a more certain victory. Every Society of Christian Endeavor must get out of the region of experiment before it can command the attention and confidence of the church to which it belongs. It must make the church feel that it has come to stay. Its members must have downright consistency; when they pledge themselves to do certain things, they must do them. As active members they should regularly attend the meetings and do their share. A perfect understanding between the society and the pastor is essential. There can be but one head, one captain. He should be our chief, we should rally under him and he should feel that he can depend on us. The older men and the ladies are busy and are not able to do the active work which once they could. It must fall on the younger people and they must prove faithful to him in his work among men. Let there be no misunderstanding. We must have a definite aim and purpose. Our aim is to win souls; we should all tend toward the upbuilding of the church; the society meetings should not be as obstitute for the church meetings nor conflict with them. If we have reason to think that the life of the church is in the society let us not say so, but show to all that we have but one thought, one

The Training School for Nurses.

o the Editor of the GRAPHIC: Do you think the people of Newton have any idea of the good work which is being done at the Newton hospital in the training of nurses? I happened to be there one day last week, and had the pleasure of listening to Dr. Porter's lec-ture on Infection and infectious Diseases.

The matron and nurses were gathered together in the cosy parlor, with note books and pencils in hand, and for an hour the lecturer held their attention. I looked into the matter and found not an officer in the company could raise an objection worthy of a soldiers consideration.

I saw his former Captain, Kennedy,

theories of chemical decomposition and

of the production of germs.

After that he told them of the many ways in which infection is spread, by contact with already diseased organisms, by water, food and air, and by the presence of decaying matter.

He illustrated the defects in house sanitation, and showed how water sup-plies were contaminated, and dwelt upon several curious topics, such as the per-sistency of life in the infectious germs and the length of time they may remain in the human system before finding their favorable conditions for the multiplication and development of their virulence

The pencils flew over the note books as the doctor taught, only pausing now and then as the nurses looked at a picture or listened to the recital of some illustrative case.

It was to the writer an hour well

spent, not only because of the instruc-tion gained from Dr. Porter's admirable lecture, but because it showed something of the work going on here in our

midst for relieving suffering.

Newton ought to be proud of its Hospital, and especially of this new branch of tal, and especially of this new branch of work which, as it grows, will be found a convenience in any home where the employment of a nurse becomes necessary. There are seven nurses now connected with the Hospital, two of whom were summoned by telephone to attend the lecture and returned immediately after to their duties, one at Newton and the other at West Newton. The time will come when if a trained nurse is needed anywhere in our city one can be summoned almost at au hour's notice. The remuneration is very moderate. Their training is so carefully looked after by the matron and the lecturers that to have been educated in the Newton hospital shall be a guarantee of efficiency.

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It gave me a higher appreciation of our Newton physicians when I learned that their services are rendered gratuitously, and that they are determined that the nurses trained here will be inferior to

none.

I felt sorry, however, that no citizen has as yet been moved to give the money needed for the crection of the nurses' house.

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Adams, late of Newton, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by John Q. Adams, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties, on his bond pursuant to said will and statute; You are to be held at to appear at a frobatty of Middlesex, on the Cambridge, in of April next, at nine o'clock in the foroncon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the building of the publication to be two days. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of Wilness, Guts eleventh day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

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—Mrs. E. H. Hames has returned from her winter's stay at St. Paul, Minn., and the family residence on Walnut Park has been reopened.

—Mr. Chas. B. Lancaster left this week with a party of gentlemen from Boston, for the Bernudas, where they will remain for two or three weeks.

—Mrs. Joshua Baker of Sargent street entertained the Browning club on Monday afternoon. Miss A. M. Beecher of Newton-ville was the reader.

—The Barber family sung at the old folks concert in Watertown, Weduesday evening. Grandson Campbell of this parish led ye men and women singers.

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—Mr. H. W. Crowell is improving in health and is now able to walk about the house. He expects to be able to attend to business in a short time.

—Mr. Henry L. Cole, Jr., has been seriously ill with pneumonia, but under the skillful treatment of Dr. Clara D. Keed, he is now able to attend to business.

The new Eliot church has been a popular place for visitors all the week, and from present appearances the building will be completed next month.

-Rev Fayette Nichols is to preach in Milford, at his former church, next Sunday morning, and address a Constitutional Prohibitory meeting in the evening. The Claffin Guards will have their eigth annual prize drill for the Pulsifer medal at their armory, this evening at 8 o'clock. Dancing will follow at 9.

—I want to rent at once my new house on Richardson street all furnished, on very reasonable terms to parties who will take good care of the property. H. F.Titus. —Miss Abby Bates, a graduate of Boston University, class of '87, addressed the ladies of the College of Liberal Arts on Thursday afternoon upon "The Earnestness of College Life."

—Miss Susanna M. Duncklee, who has been confined to the house by illness, has been enabled to resume her accustomed duties as treasurer of the Newton Savings Bank.

—Mr. Charles F. Rand has made some improvement since last week, as much as could be expected in such unfavorable weather in one suffering from inflammatory rheumatism.

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—Mr. A. I. Paine, for the past year connected with the Graphic Job Printing office, left this week for Philadelphia, to take the position of pitcher of the Athletic base ball club of that city.

—Rev. B. K. Peirce, D. D., will preach at the Methodist church next Sunday morning. Mrs. Kate L. Stevenson will preach at the Methodist church next Sunday evening. Service begins at 7:30.

—Mrs. G. E. F. Baker was presented with

-Mrs. G. E. F. Baker was presented with a purse of \$78, Thursday evening, by friends, who wished to testify in this man-ner to their appreciation of Officer Baker's faithful services to the city.

—A very pleasant surprise was tendered Mrs. Sloan at the house of Mr. Buchannan on Gardner street, Wednesday evening. The company enjoyed themselves with music and singing to a late hour.

-The Rev. A. H. Locke of Han Kow, China, is to speak in Grace church next Sunday morning. At night the Rev. W. C. Wilson of Nova Scotia will give an account of mission work among the miners.

Rev. Francis Greenwood Peabody will preach at Channing church, Sunday morning. He is one of the most eloquent of the younger preachers in the denomination, and Xewton people are always glad to hear him.

—Mrs. H. J.Woods has visited New York this week to attend the openings for spring millinery and get the styles. She selected a choice stock of spring goods which she will show at her opening April 2nd and 3rd.

—Mr. Wellington Howes has found the fish and oyster department of his market a very popular feature, and the demands have greatly exceeded his expectations. It is a great convenience to buy both fish and meats at the same place.

—Mrs. Charlotte J. Bickford died at the Misses Allens, where she has been boarding for the past year, on Monday morning, and the funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Hornbrooke officiating. The interment was at Dover, N. H., on Wednesday.

—Ladies should try the Famous Linworth Stockings advertised by F. Murdock & Co this week. They will outwear any thing that has yet been made, having a special heel and toe of pure linen thread. The blacks are gnaranteed to be perfectly fast and will not stain or crock in any way.

—Rev. Mr. Hornbrooke left Thursday for Toronto, where he gives a lecture Saturday evening on "Unitarianism in Modern Literature" and he will preach twice on Sunday in two popular courses of sermons. He will return to Newton early next week.

Heat Club.

There were 17 deaths in Newton during February, according to the report of the board of health, three from diphtheria. Thirteen cases of diphtheria were reported, two of scarlet fever, and two of typhoid fever, both of which proved fatal. No cases of diphtheria were reported from Ward Two.

—The staging has now been taken down from the interior of the new Eliot church, and the second flooring is nearly laid. Work has been resumed upon the gas fixtures and the choir gallery has been opened, preparatory to the erection of the new organ. The organ is being built by Geo. S. Hutchings, Boston.

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—A new house is to be built on the Watertown side of Boyd street, the coming spring, the first one in that district for many years. The anti-annexationists are said to be greatly encouraged at this promise that growth in the district has not entirely stopped, and the house will probably make a large figure in next year's contest.

—The annual meeting of the Newton Tennis Club was held March 15th, and the following officers were chosen for the en-suing year: Pres, Walter H. Barker. Secretary and Treasurer, C. D. Kepner: Field Marshall, Go. Scales. Also a vote was passed thanking the retiring officers for their efficient services during the past year.

—The McAll club of the Baptist church will give a concert in that church Thursday evening. April 4. The concert will be under the direction of Mr. J. Wallace Goodrich, who will have the assistance of Mr. Geo. Coleman Gow, formerly the musical pastor of the church, and of a lady vocalist. Tickets at 35 cents cach may be obtained at Hubbard & Procter's.

—The Underwood and Bigelow schools have been visited this week by the agent of a Boston Educational bureau, which is supposed to be significant of the high reputation enjoyed by Newton teachers. The salaries paid to the assistant teachers are low, when the expense of living here is

taken into account, and the best teachers are sometimes induced to go where higher reducements are offerred, as educational bureaus seem to know.

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—The Young Men's Catholic Lyceum have re-organized and elected the following officers for the term of six months: Spiritual Director, Rev. J. F. Gilfether; president, P. A. Murray; vice president, L. Watson; recording secretary, T. D. Casey; financial secretary, C. P. Harkins, Jr.; corresponding secretary, D. A. Sullivan; treasurer, J. J. Mahoney; board of directors, J. Downs, P. A. Mulligan, M. J. Joyce, P. B. McMullen, B. McCarthy.

—A very successful Old Faller, Court

McMullen, B. McCarthy.

A very successful Old Folks' Concert was held at the Town Hall, Watertown, Wednesday evening, for the benefit of the Mcthodist church there, which is planning to put up a new edifice. The concert was in charge of Mr. Hugh Campbell, and among the singers were Messrs, George and J. W. Barber, Miss Fannie Barber, Miss Mabel Lawrence and Mrs. H. Leonard of this city. Many Newton people were present and the affair was a great success as the hall was crowded.

—A public meeting under the apspices of

as the hall was crowded.

—A public meeting under the auspices of Local Union 33, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, will be held in Potler's Hall, corner Main and Galen streets, Watertown, Thursday evening, March 28, at eight o'clock. The following speakers are to be present: Hugh M'Kay of East Boston; L. Newman of Cambridge; C. Bosworth of Cambridge; J. McIntyre of Somerville; G. Griffin of Charlestown; W. H. Connors of Newton. Ladies and all interested are cordially invited.

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—The last meeting of the Browning class was held in the Channing church chapel, Tuesday evening, and Rev. Mr. Hornbrooke read "Sollidquy in a Spanish Cloister," and "The Statue and the Bust." Rev. Mr. Spaulding read selections from "The Ring and the Book," and Judge Pitman read "Holy Cross Day" and "One Word More." The attendance at the meetings has averaged over fifty and the class has been very successful, as the members have taken great interest in the meetings. It is hoped that a similar class will be formed another year.

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—If a street railway is to be laid through Elmwood street, as the West End company contemplates, that street should be widened. The street is the natural terminus of a street tear line on that side of the city, and such a line would prove of great convenience to the majority of the residents in that section. The street is also a popular thoroughfare with people driving to Boston, and it can be widened now at less expense than when more business blocks are put up, as will be the case in the near future. Perhaps the West End company would bear a part if not all of the expense, in return for being granted a location.

—William Welch, the flagmen at the Con-

being granted a location.

—William Welch, the flagman at the Center street crossing, was assaulted by his assistant, Booth Farrell, Sunday afternoon, who struck him over the head with a flag stick, inflicting a painful wound. It seems that when Welch returned to the flag station from dinner Farrell was occupying Welch's accustomed place in the room, and he requested him to move. Farrell demurred and Welch pushed him away. Some few moments later, while Welch was sitting in his chair, Farrell came up behind him and struck him. Farrell was discharged by Agent Morgan and a new man was at work at the crossing Monday morning.

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—The M. P. M., a society of young men in Newton, gave a dance in Cole's Hall on the evening of March 16th. The company assembled at half past seven and passed the time in dancing very pleasantly for four hours. About eightly of the young people where present and the hall looked quite bright and any with the light and tasteful the properties of the collection of the c

The Newton Club.

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There was a very large attendance of members and ladies at the Nowton Club parlors Tuesday evening, to hear the fine concert given by the Boston Ideal Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar club, which began at 8 o'clock and lasted for an hour and a half. The club is one of the finest musical organizations that has appeared in Nowton this winter, and the audience was ready to endorse all the advance promises made for them. Many of the selections were so taking that several repetitions were called for and the applause was enthousiastic, especially over the clever "echoes from the South" and other imitations; the one comic song on the programe was made three before the audience was satisfied, and altogetether it was the best intertainment yet given at the club house.

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Licel Club.
2. Duet (a. "Grown of Roses" (Caprice). Huntley
Messrs. Lansing and Harris.
Waltz. u. "Marie".

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Harmonica solo
Mr. B. E. Shattuck,
(a. Spanish waltz
(b. Romance for mandolins
PART 2.

Magic banjo solo
Mr. A. D. Grover.

(a) "Wedding Bells," Gavotte (with bell effects)
(b) "The Darkies' Patrol" Lansing Ideal Club,
Cluster of Waltzes
Banjo duet Selected Selected

Banjo duet
Messrs. Lansing and Shattuck.
"Echoes from the South,"
Ideal Club. Lansing After the concert ice cream, cake, and lemonade were served.

Y. M. C. A.

The meeting last Sunday was in charge of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Eliot church, of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Eliot church, and Mr. Frank Partridge, the president of the society, led the meeting. A quartet, consisting of Mrs. Howell, Miss Mabel Dyer and the Messrs. Bacon, added much to the pleasure of the occasion by their singing. Mr. Partridge took for his theme, "The necessity of decision," selecting from the Bible as examples, the choice of Ruth, and the decision of the people in Joshua's time. The attendance was not large, on account of the storm but many added their testimonies. The meeting next Sunday will be a temperance meeting and will be in charge of Mr. A. F. Houdlette.

Glen Farm

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NEWTON CONGREGATIONAL CLUB.

AND IN THE HOME.

The last regular meeting of the Newton Congregational Club for the present sea son was held in the second church, West Newton, Monday evening, and there was large attendance of members from various sections of the city. The exercises in the chapel opened with singing by the choir of the Newton Centre Congregation-al church and a more satisfactory combination of voices has been seldom heard in this vicinity. The harmonoy and sweet-ness of the concerted singing were notable features and the solo parts were admirably sustained. After prayer had been offered by the Rev. Mr. Lamb of the North Evangelical church, Rev. Mr. the North Evangelical church, Rev. Mr. Cutler who occupied the chair, owing to the illness of President Harwood, called upon Rev. Mr. Patrick for a report from the outlook committee. Mr. Patrick gave some encouraging statements concerning the progress of church work and alluded especially to the temperance movement in Newton. The temperance pot, he said, had begun to boil and would undoubteful generate considerable steam. undoubtedly generate considerable steam before April 22. The outlook committee entertain the opinion that it would be well for every Christain man to take de-liberate council with his conscience be-fore voting against the amendment. In Newton the friends of the constitutional amendment have organized thoroughly and the church committee of the movement has visited every active pastor in the city. I am glad to report that every Congregational pastor stands on the right side and has been heard from in the interests of the cause. With few exceptions, the active pastors of the city are in favor of the amendment. In conclusion, Mr. Patrick alluded to the re-vival work which had been in progress at the Newton Highlands church and called upon Deacon Hayward to give an ac count of the meetings and the work. Deacon Hayward said that the meet-

ings had been in progress for two weeks and that it had been decided to continue them for a week longer. From the time of the first meeting there had been an undercurrent of seriousness among the church members for earnest Christian work in laboring to bring souls to Christ. The evangelist, Rev. N. H. Harriman, commenced his labors among us March 3d and before he came preparat ions had been made for his coming with

siman, commenced his labors among us March 3d and before he came preparations had been made for his coming with a view to assisting him in his work. Three services have been held on Sundays and two servees held on Sundays held by a contributing members are not asking for the servee held of the servee held on Sundays held by a contributing members held by the servees held on Sundays held by a contributing members held by the servee held on Sundays held by a contributing members held by the service for the first time. During the coming week, we expect large results and we ask your prayers that there may be an unusual outpouring of the April of the service of the first time. During the coming week, we expect large results and we ask your prayers that there may be an unusual outpouring of the April of the service of

calisthenic Drill.

A calisthenic drill will be given by members of the Newton High School, Tuesday evening, April 2nd, at 7 o'clock. The girls are interested in raising money which will be put at interest as a nucleus of a sum to be used in furnishing a gymnasium when the city provides one. We see by the recent school report that the committee understands the need of better accommodations for physical culture.

CAMPFIRE AT POST 62, G. A. R.

MOVEMENT STARTED FOR A MEMORIAL

The reception and campfire, under the auspices of Charles Ward Post 62, in Masonic hall, Newtonville, last evening, brought together a notable gathering of survivors of the late war and prominent citizens. It was a memorable event and recalled the struggles and viccissitudes

men and the great sacrifice of human life in the preservation of the union and the American republican form of government. The post had as its guests many distinguished men who had participated in the scenes of civil strife, among them being Inspector-General George S. Evans, Past department commanders John D. Billings and E. C. Whitney, Major Gleason of post 63, Natick; Captain George Read of Saxonville, Captain Sanborn of the armed battalion of post 15, Boston. Commander Harrison Hume, the officers and a delegation of members of Post 191, U. S. Engineer Corps and many others. Among the citizens present were noticed ex-Mayors Hyde and Kimball, Hon. John C. Park, Representative W. S. Slocum, Rev. H. J. Patrick, Aldermen Pettee, Chadwick and Kennedy, Councilmen Bond, Fenno and Hall, Mr. William E. Plummer and Mr. Levi F. Warren.

The exercises were of an interesting character, consisting of singing by the Amphion Male quartet; a reading, "Musie in the Camp," by Mr. Metcalf; banjo selections and humorous songs by Comrade Charles Redding of Boston, and addresses by Commander Whitney of Charles Ward post, and others.

Past Department Commander Evans made a stirring speech alluding to the soldier's home, an institution in the hands of the G. A. R., and a refuge for soldiers and sailors who should never be allowed to enter pauper institutions. The eampfire, said the speaker, creates an interest among citizens in our organization, and shows of what the G. A. R. is composed, You see before you tonight men who have participated in the engagements of the Army of the Potomac, men who fought for the preservation of the union and brought the nation's flag home without a single star or stripe erased. We are banded together by fraternal principles, sanctified through snifering the carnage of war and the memory of our departed comrades. We are also banded together for charity, and we are redeeming the pledges made to us by the nation by caring for our disabled and needy comrades. We are also banded together for charity, and we

CITY GOVERNMENT.

ANOTHER RAILWAY COMPANY WANTS TO

The board of aldermen met Monday evening, with President Pettee in the chair, Mayor Burr having been kept at home by severe a cold; other members present, Aldermen Harbach, Johnson, Kennedy, Tolman, Childs and Chadwick. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Business from the lower branch was disposed of in concur-

THE STREET LIGHTING CONTRACT.

When the contract for street lighting came up Aldermen Childs said that he thought the street light committee had done the best thing possible, all things considered. Last year when he opposed the proposed contract with the electric light company, it was said that the city would be swindled by the gas company. which was a grasping monopoly, but it seemed that the gas company had treat-ed the city very generously. He thought that the committee ought to have contracted for full arc lights instead of hafl are lights, and that if one-third of our city was to be lighted by them the whole city should be. He hoped the committee had made proper arrangements to have the poles and wires properly put up, the wires insulated, and to have the wires placed on the opposite side of the street from the police and fire alarm wires. The city should employ someone to see that the work was properly done. In Somerville, recently, an electric light wire fell accross other wires, and the rewhere hell accross other wires, and the re-peater was burned out, which would cost the city \$5,000 to replace, two or three buildings were set on fire, and the signal service system was destroyed. A Cambridge alderman was out driving recently, and one of his horses stepped on a broken wire, which was connected with an electric wire, and was instantly killed. The street light committee ought to have a guarantee that the gas com-pany would do the work well, and not in the slack manner that characterized the

Newton Electric Light Company.

Alderman Johnson said that the gas company had promised to put up the system in first class shape, using hard pine poles, which were to be painted, placing poles and wires on the other side of the street from other wires, whenever possi-ble, and he had no doubt the gas com-pany would do credit to themselves and

pany would do credit to the city.

It was not claimed that there was no system was dangerous danger, as every system was dangerous but the danger would be obviated as fa as possible.

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Adderman Childs said it might be possible for a man representing the city to find a way where the gas company could

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Alderman Johnson said the committee thought it best to have the two systems, gas and electricity, and anything the peopledemanded could be given. Last year the whole appropriation of \$27,000 was expended, no petition for additional lights could be granted, but this year all of last years petitions could be granted, the whole city would be well lighted, and \$3,000 of the appropriation would be saved.

The order was then adopted unam-

Alderman Johnson introduced an order which was passed, that after April 1st, the number of patrolmen should be 22.

Mayor Burr appointed R, B. Conroy and W, A. Learned to be patrolmen for the probationery term of six months; the former was confirmed unanimously and the latter was confirmed, Aldermen Childs and Chadwick voting no.

S. L. Pratt was appointed undertaker, in place of Charles A. Peck, resigned.

The petitions of H. H. Hunt, M. F. Lucas and W. H. Mague, for stables and other buildings were granted.

Petitions were received for street lamp on Shaw Street, ward 3, and Ward Street, ward 6, also are electric light, corner of Chaplel and California streets.

Notification of intentions to build were received from H. F. Miller, house on Lexington Street; Mr. Law, house on Auburndale avenue; Geo. P. Hale, house on Auburndale avenue; Geo. P. Hale, house on Marray street.

A license was granted to move house from Valentine estate on Chestnut street, to the east side o Valentine street. Alderman Johnson introduced an order

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Alderman Childs presented the application of E. H. Hewins, for a location for his electric street railway, to be operated by the storage battery system, without overhead wires, conduits or other street obstructions. The location asked for is on Beacon street from the Boston line, Station street and Institution avenue to the Centre depot, Tremont street from Boston line, Park street, Washington to circuit railroad at Woodland station, Auburn street, Auburndale, to Washington street, Washington street in Newton Highlands, and depot, Tremout street from Boston line, Park street, Washington to circuit railroad at Woodland station, Auburn street, Auburndale, to Washington street. Walnut street to Newton Highlands, and Bowers street. The petition stated that the company, the New England Weston, are building a road in Danvers, to be in operation in May, which they wished the board to inspect, and they asked for a hearing, which was granted on April 15th before the board of aldermen. Mr. Hewins stated that the company were in earnest and proposed to build, a road this summer if they get the location.

BALLARD STREET.

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Alderman Harbach reported in favor of the petition of H. W. Mason and others, for the laying out, grading and construction of Ballard street, and an order was passed appointing Monday evening, April 15th, for a hearing of parties interested, before the board of aldermen, and the next meeting of the common council thereafter, before that that body, as the 22nd will be a holiday, and the council may not meet on that evening.

The special committee appointed to draw up resolutions on the death of Isaac Hagar, reported through Alder-man Johnson as follows:

man Johnson as follows:

WHEREAS, We believe that whenever a well spent life has been closed on earth and has gone to its reward, the past should be very reverently and tenderly noted, and whereas by the death of Isaac Hagar, such a life has been closed, bereaving the City of Newton of one of its worthiest citizens, of one who served it as a town and as a city for very many years, and always with that honesty of purpose and fidelity in action, which were his life-long characteristics. Desiring to place upon record our appreciation of the purity of his life and also of the value of his services, therefore Resolved, That by the death of Isaac Hagar this City Council recognizes the loss of one of Newton's worthiest citizens, of one whose valued services in important official positions were continued during a long life, and only closed when failing health had nearly brought that life to its close.

Resolved, That the City Council ex-

life to its close.

Resolved, That the City Council express its sympathy with the family of the deceased, in its affliction, that this preamble and resolutions shall be spread upon the city record and that a copy thereof shall be sent by the city clerk to the family the family

The resolutions were adopted by a ris-

ing vote.
Alderman Harbach reported an order which was passed, authorizing the mayor to execute deeds for the exchange of two parcels of land, belonging to the James S. Allison estate, for two other parcels belonging to the city, near California street.

\$25,000 WANTED FOR SCHOOL HOUSE.

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Alderman Chadwick presented an order from the public property committee, for the purchase of the lot of land between the Cialin schoolhouse and Phipp's court, for a new four-room brick schoolhouse, the lot to cost \$0,000.
The board, at the request of Alderman Chadwick, ajourned for half an hour, in order to allow Mr. Dickinson, who was at the lyceum meeting, to appear and speak upon it.
After reassembling, Mr. Chadwick said that it was at first contemplated to build that it was at first contemplated to build

that it was at first contemplated to build on Washington Park, in rear of the present building, but the presence of the outhouses and a large cesspool, it was thought the lot would be unfit for a building, and the present lot was a small one for 300 pupils. The lot it was proposed to buy was offered at a reasonable In answer to Aldrice.

omiding, and the present lot was a small one for 300 pupils. The lot it was proposed to buy was offered at a reasonable price, \$9000.

In answer to Alderman Johnson, Mr. Chadwick said that the price was about 35 cents a foot, which was reasonable, as land on the opposite side of the street was held at 50 cents a foot. The lot in the rear of the school was only 100 feet wide, and if sewerage was ever introduced a house lot could be sold off.

Mr. Dickinson said that the school had outgrown the Claffin building and two classes had to be held in the fourth story, which was poorly ventilated and lighted, and was very warm in summer. A number of parents sent their children to a private school at Newton rather than send them to such a building. With a new four room building, the pressure would be relieved, and the old building could be raken down, and a new one erected in its place, and one heating apparatus and one janitor care for both buildings. The proposed lot would give the school an open square, no high building could be put up to shut off the light, and it would be very unfortunate to let such an opportunity pass. He hoped the city would buy the lot, as it would be wise and economical to do it.

Alderman Johnson asked what the land was taxed for, but no one knew.

Alderman Grant was chairman or the public property committee, they were unanimous in favor of buying the lot. He thought the new school building would cost not over \$15,000.

Alderman Kennedy said that he did not wish to offer any objections to what was absolutely necessary; but the citizens were feeling the taxes to be a heavy burden, and in the past six years the city had expended \$150,000 for new school buildings, and the school wing had cost \$30,000, and the superintendent had recommended a new school buildings, with so many expenses for schools, and the committee should see if there was no way of obviating this expense. It seemed that there might be some way of utilizing the 100 feet in the rear, and of

the committee should see if there was no way of obviating this expense. It seemed that there might be some way of utilizing the 100 feet in the rear, and of avoiding this great expense for a lot.

Alderman Johnson moved that the whole matter be referred to the finance committee, which was done, after which the board adjourned.

WEST NEWTON LYCEUM.

LECTURE BY HON, J. W. DICKINSON-DISCUSSION ON TRUSTS.

A meeting of the West Newton Lyce um was held in the City Hall, Monday evening. The music consisted of a piano duet by the Misses Fleming, and a piano solo by Miss Nettie Feming, both ren-ditions being finely given, the latter being notable for brilliant execution. The ing notable for ordinant execution. The lecture was delivered by Hon. John W. Dickinson, Secretary of the State Board of Education, who spoke upon the State's control of the public school sys-

trusts a benefit to modern business." was opened in the affirmative by E. W. Wood who said that it had fallen to his lot to present that side of the question. Combinations of capital, said the speaker, have long been unpopular, but if they are dangerous it would appear that the government is derelict, for they exist by permission of the government and are subject to government control. When in this country today we see the parties interested, before the board of aldermen, and the next meeting of the common council thereafter, before that that body, as the 22nd will be a holiday, and the council may not meet on that that body, as the 22nd will be a holiday, and the council may not meet on that evening.

Alderman Chadwick reported from the public property committee that the sanitary improvements ordered at City Hall, had been completed.

MEMORIAL FOUNTAIN.

Alderman Harbach reported in favor of accepting the offer of Mr. S. R. Urbino, to place a memorial fountain in Lincoln Park, West! Newton, and an order was passed requesting the water board to supply water therefor.

On motion of Alderman Tolman \$35, 100 was appropriated for the city expenses during April.

E. Pickard was granted a license to move building across Maple street.

greater profit. If there is a disposition to take advantage of the people, the government can interfere; the trusts are sub-ject to its control. In London, since the business of supplying gas has fallen into business of supplying gas has fallen into the hands of a few companies, the divi-dends have been increased and the price of gas to consumers greatly reduced. Through concentration the companies have been enabled to produce gas at a less cost. Combinations of capital have frequently reduced the cost price to the consumer, and judging from past experi-ence there can be no reason for curtail-ing such operations at present. When the occasion does arise for necessary in-terference the government can exercise

the occasion does arise for necessary in-terference the government can exercise the needed control.

Mr. W. A. Spinney presented the nega-tive of the question. He alluded to the cabbage trust as another conspiracy and presented a few thoughts in poetry.

"Professor," a pupil inquired sedately, As "trusts" and "combines" they discussed, "Have you noticed the flurry in saurkraut lately? Do you think there's a cabbage trust?"

Gravely said the professor, "If answer I must, I could not exactly say whether; Yet you and some friend may have formed such frust By putting your heads together."

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If only cabbage heads got together to form trusts we should have nothing to fear, but trusts generally abound in shrewd, scheming, dishonest heads that combine to injure the consumer. What is a trust? It is a syndicate, a coal monopoly, a government tariff for protection, railroad combinations, etc. In the iron trust 50 per cent. is added to the cost and the excessive profits go to a few men. Wages are no higher and consumers suffer. The steel rail trust is another sample of such combinations. You send abroad and purchase the rails at the rate of \$28 plus \$25 for duty—total \$33. In this country the price per ton is \$75, giving a profit of \$22 per ton. The bagging trust requires 45 million yards of jute for covering bales of raw cotton; it operates six mills and gets its own price. The result is injuring the planter and in making cotton goods dearer to all. It is a form of tyranny. The sugar trust with headquarters in New York, operates about 20 refineries which can be run or shut up at pleasure. Immense profits are divided and the consumers are robbed as a consequence. Trusts are cruel and point to a wrong social system. It is unAmerican and a scheme to enrich the few by the robbery of the powerless many. Socialism will come if trust stay. In conclusion the speaker recited these lines:

BEWARE OF TRUSTS. I know a business with a tact,
Take care!
It can both false and friendly act,
Beware! beware!
Trust it not,

It has a look as honest as a beau,
Take eare!
It knows how much of its aims to show,
Beware! beware!
Trust it not!
It is robbing us,

And it has plans that attract the few,
Take care!
And what it says it is not true,
Beware! beware!
Trust it not!
It is robbing us.

The discussion was continued by Messrs, F.M. Dutch, James T. Allen, Geo. A. Walton, Marcus Morton and E. W. Wood.

BOSTON THEATRES.

A BRASS MONKEY AT THE PARK.

This very amusing farce-comedy by Mr. Charles H. Hoyt, the author of "A Rag Baby," "A Hole in the Ground," "A Parlor Match," "A Midnight Bell," etc., will have its first production before a Boston audience on Monday, March 25, at the Park Theatre. A special feature of this engagement will be the giving of Wednesday matinees for the accomodation of out-of-town patrons who cannot make it convenient to attend the theatre at night. "A Brass Monkey" has just closed the longest engagement ever known for a farce-comedy at the Bijou Theatre, New York, where it was played for 102 nights to the utmost capacity of the house, many being turned away nightly, unable to get even standing room. The New York Herald, speaking of it, says: "There are 'no flies' on the 'Brass Monkey.' Its a 'razzle dazzle,' as the song implies, from the front to the rear. It is a satire on the popular superstitions of the day in three doses of rollicking, reeking merriment. The company is headed by the inimitable comedian and stitions of the day in three doses of fol-licking, reeking merriment. The company is headed by the inimitable comedian and great Boston favorite who made such a remarkable success in the opera of 'Rud-dygore,' at the Globe, Mr. Charles Reed, and the little singing and dancing sun-beam, Flora Walsh. The cast contains the names of twenty-one of the best known farce-comedy artists in the pro-fession." The play will be given abso-lutely the same in every detail as it was in New York. Matinees will be given on both Wednesday and Saturday.

JOSEPH'S SWEETHEART AT THE BOSTON

The fifth play of the present most remarkable season at the Bostom Museum will be the new comedy-drama of Joseph's Sweetheart, (adapted from Fielding's famous novel of Joseph Andrews), produced on Monday, March 25th, for the first time in this country. The cast will comprise nearly every member of the magnificent Museum company: the scenery will be entirely new, and the costumes gorgeous, while the opening tableau will be a realization of Hogarth's fourth plate of Marriage a la Mode. A decided novelty will be the recitation of a Prologue by Miss Clarke in the character of "Lady Booby." This most attractive novelty can run but a short time, as "Little Lord Fauntleroy," is announced for reproduction. Joseph's Sweetheart is by Robert Buchanan, author of "Sophia," done at the Museum last season, and the London Times says: "A more wholesome, more vigorous, more interesting, more enjoyable play the public could not wish to see. It is on the whole a stronger and better play than 'Sophia,'"

Some Cambridge Prohibitionists.

An interesting symposium upon th question of constitutional prohibition for Massachusetts has been published by the Cambridge Tribune, in which such high authorities as Professor James B. Thayer, Col. T. W. Higginson, R. H. Dahigh authorities as Professor James B. Thayer, Col. T. W. Higginson, R. H. Dana and Wm. E. Russell take part. These gentlemen, who easily carry off the honors in the discussion, all unite in opposing the proposition for a prohibitory amendment. Their views are especially noteworthy, as nearly or quite all of them are supporters of the prohibitory law, which, our readers are aware, is being enforced with such signal success in Cambridge. Prof. Thayer is, in fact, the president of the Cambridge association for the enforcement of the law, and has, as he says, voted three times for prohibition in local elections. He says he is opposed to constitutional prohibition for three reasons—first, because it is a misuse of the constitution; second, because "it is not the time to do the thing, even if it should ever be done;" and third, because "prohibition in any form, except as a local and temporary policy as a feeling of the way to something better, is but a poor mode of dealing with the liquor question." Colonel Higginson says he shall vote against the amendment, although rather unwillingly, because it does not seem to him the best way of reaching the evil, adding, "Our present local option law appears to me far better, because by the local agitation it affords it educates the particular community which has got to enforce the law—that is, the town or city, as the case may be." Similar reasons are given by Messrs. Dana and Russell.

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From Our special Correspondent:
WABAN RECALLS SOME INTERESTING HISTORICAL FACTS

The Boston Traveller of last Friday gave an interesting sketch of David Henshaw. The sketch was a grouping of extracts from an article published in the Boston Atlas of an article published in the Boston Atlas of Feb 17, 1838, written by F. O. J. Smith, one of the ablest politicians, financiers and writers of his day. The subject matter of the article was the affairs of the old Com-monwealth bank, then the pet New Eng-land bank of the administration, and the public and private character of David Hen-shaw.

Many of your readers will doubtless re member the collapse of this bank in 1837 member the collapse of this bank in 1837 and the great excitement which followed the announcement and the developments brought out. There was no doubt as to the bald corruption which prevailed in the management of the bank and the ruin and disaster which followed its explosion.

The people throughout the country had become disgusted with the weakness and rottenness of the Van Buren Administration and already the Whig party had begun to ruly its forces to overthrow it. The

tion and already the Whig party had begun to rally its forces to overthrow it. The Commonwealth bank affair helped to mate-rially hasten the event as the bank was so closely connected with the administration. Boston was then the strong hold of the Whig party, and taking the affairs of the Commonwealth bank as a text, the press of Boston and the Staie pushed matters vigor-ously. The scathing review of F. O. J. Smith and his bitter strictures on the man-agement of the bank would bear the closest agement of the bank would bear the closest criticism but when he proceeded to personulities as against David Henshaw, there was another side which I propose to give. David Henshaw was one of the most remarkable men Massachusetts ever produced. A native of Leicester in Worcester county, brought up as a farmer with no advantages beyond the district schools of the advantages. agement of the bank would bear the closest vantages beyond the district schools of those days, partially if not wholly depend-ent upon his relatives, he at an early age developed those remarkable talents which for years placed him at the head of his party in the State, made him a leading states man, business man and financier.

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Few men did as much, and none more than he to extend the commercial and mercantile growth of Boston. He was one of the first to appreciate the advantages of our railroad system, and was for several years a director in the old Boston & Worcester railroad. As collector of the Port of Boston under Jackson, both his political friends and his political enemies admitted that the affairs of that office were never so well administered.

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His influence with his party and particularly with the administration was something phenomenal. A good story is told of him in illustration, which I do not remember to have ever seen in print.

In 1833, when General Jackson made his memorable visit to Roston, the country was

memorable visit to Boston, the country was excited over the matter of removing the United States deposits. The Boston Whigs seized this opportunity to endeavor to change Jackson's mind. He was dined and wined and feted by the Whig aristocracy till his head was well nigh turned. During his entire stay, some portion of the Whig delegation was constantly with him. On the day before he was to leave on his return to Washington, the Whigs had obtained sufficient concession to warrant them in believing that they would carry the point. This in some way reached David Henshaw but he showed no sign. Jackson was stopping at the Tremont House, then but reexcited over the matter of removing the ping at the Tremont House, then but re-cently opened, and the first hotel in the United States. Henshaw posted himself where he could see the last carriage of the Whig escort drive away.

It was close on to midnight when he en-

tered the Tremont and asked to see the General. The servants had received their instructions and he was told the General had retired. "Show me his room—he will see me," said Henshaw, and he followed the servant up. The General Was sitting on the edge of the bed. "General Jackson," said Henshaw in his squeaky voice, do I understand that you have changed your mind in regard to the deposits?" The General remained silent. Henshaw continued, "Is this the promise you made the party?" The General sprang up—"No! by the Eternal, No! I will remove the deposits." "Good night, General," said Henshaw, "a pleasant Journey," and retired. tered the Tremont and asked to see the Gen-

night, General," said Henshaw, "a pleasant journey," and retired.

The Whigs were chuckling over their supposed success. It took more than eighteen hours then to go from Boston to Washington. What was the surprise of the Boston Whigs can well be imagined when they heard that the fat had gone forth and that "by the Eternal" the deposits were removed. But it was long afterward that they discovered the agency of David Henshaw. They never forgot nor forgave, and the vials of their wrath were poured upon him unsparingly. The attack of F. O. J. Smith was but a single example. There was one other incident in the public life of Daniel Henshaw which, with perhaps a few exceptions, has probably long since been forgotton.

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One of his first cabinet selections was that of David Henshaw, to be Secretary of the Navy. Congress had adjourned, but Henshaw accepted and at once took charge. He brought to the department all his experience as a business man and his great executive ability. He found the department from head to foot a perfect Augean stable of corruption and mismanagement, and he set to work to cleanse it. Everybody was alarmed, and without regard to party they set to work to oppose him, but Henshaw stood firm and Tyler stood by him. But when Congress came together in December, and Tyler's nominations were sent to the Senate, Henshaw was almost the first to be rejected and the rejection was almost unanimous.

Even at this distance of time, one can well nigh imagine what the future of that department under four vears rule by David Henshaw would have been. I repeat what I have already said that David Henshaw was one of the most remarkable men Massachusetts ever produced.

PROHIBITION DOES PROHIBIT.

REV. G. L. PERRIN DECLARES IN FAVOR THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

The meeting in the City Hall, Sunday afternoon, under the auspices of Loyalty atternoon, under the auspices of Loyalty Lodge, I, O. G. T., was quite largely at-tended considering the unfavorable weather. Mr. W. H. Rand presided and selections were rendered by the choir of the Second Congregational church. The address was delivered by Rev. Geo-L. Perrin, who alluded to the arguments of Rabbi Schindler on the question of constitutional amendment. The sub stance of Mr. Schindler's opposition to the amendment may be considered under the heads,—first intemperance with per-sonal liberty; second, prohibition does not prohibit.

I have supposed, said the lecturer, that the first of these was discussed nowhere today, save in the saloon, and by no one, save rumsellers, or candidates for Deer island. I had believed that it was pretty well settled among thinking men that society itself is a compromise, that it is often necessary to restrain the individual for the sake of the community, to abridge the liberties of the individual for the sake of society. And yet, it remains for a public teacher, a learned rabbi, to utter such words as these: "If we permit that our individual liberties be legislated away in regard to one commodity, we merely open the door to legislative re-strictions in regard to the rest." Very strictions in regard to the rest." Very true; we accept the issue. The only mistake that Mr. Schindler makes is in saying that we "shall open the door to legislative restrictions." The fact is it was opened long before he was born. It has been open ever since government was first invented. There are already numberless other commodities under "legislative restrictions." Nearly all the violent, noisons are sold under restrict. violent poisons are sold under restrict-ions; lobsters below a given length and weight are under restriction; the location of a glue factory is subject to legislative restriction; the sale of tainted meat is under restriction; the speed at which the rabbi may drive his horse is

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The "door to legislative restriction" stands open, and always shall stand open with regard to any commodity or any business which society may decide is inimical to its own highest interests. To the traffic in and use of intoxicating liquors is directly traceable, according to the highest authorities in our land, statistical and judical, 80 per cent, of all the crime and pauperism of our country.

"Can you find no excuse for the tired laboring man when he tries to find the needed rest and recreation in the saloon around the corner, which is well lit and well-heated, where, barring the odors of the alcohol. he can at least draw into his lungs a puff of pure air?" asks Rabbi Schindler. "Barring the odors of fresh air! And this he says concerning the laborer who goes from his workshop to "his home, where he finds his overworked wife and his pale-faced children crowded and hiddled together in a room gloomy and desolate. But what does the apologist of personal liberty think about the personal liberties of the overworked wife and the pale-faced children? Where shall any man live in this world who is not willing to have his personal liberties abridged for the welfare of society. I know of no good place for such a man save some Robinson Crusce Island where no other man lives.

It is said that the reform we desire cannot be reached by Prohibition, in fact, does not prohibit; that, quite the contrary.

We agree with him perfectly that it is "stale" and "trite," but unfortunately stale and triet to explain, what has been explained before by others, that prohibition, in fact, does not prohibit; that, quite the contrary.

We agree with him perfectly that it is "stale" and "trite," but unfortunately for him and the cause he advocates, it is not true. It is "stale" to the verge of nausea and "trite" beyond measure to those who have many times proved its falsehood from official facts. I challenge any man to show from official sources in Kansas, Iowa or Maine, where constitutional prolibition has had the best trial, that it has spread the evil of intemperance. I challenge any man to prove from official sources 'bat there is even half as much liquor manuactured, sold or drunk in any of these states per capita as in any liceuse state in the Union. Now what are the facts? In the report of the attorney-general or Kansas, recently published, we read: By actual mathematical calculations based upon official reports made to this department, I have ascertained that there is now in Kansas (in 1888) not to exceed one place for every 2220 people, the smallest percentage of any state in the union. When we take into consideration the stringent regulations under which it is sold, we are safe in saying that there is not to ex-Daniel Henshaw which, with pernaps a rewexeptions, has probably long since been forgotton.

When John Tyler, in 1841, assumed the presidency on account of the death of Harrison, the cabinet of the latter was generally dismissed. Tyler's political soundness had long been suspected by the party, and when he came into full control all doubt ceased.

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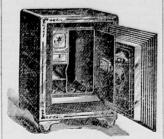
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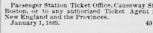




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ANOTHER SCHOOL HOUSE.

The school board are urging upon the city council the necessity of buying a \$9,000 lot of land adjoining the Claffin school and building a four-room brick school house, the whole to cost \$25,000. The schools are proving a serious prob-lem for the tax-payers of Newton, as they now take about one-fifth of the whole tax-levy for running expenses, and with the constant demand for new buildings, new systems of ventilation, and more

land, the proportion is largely increased.

In the other city departments a reign of economy has been inaugurated and good business methods have been intro-duced, so that the city expenses are kept within reasonable bounds, and the tax rate not increased, but in the school department the reverse seems to be the Newton pays about \$30 for every pupil of school age in the city, in which respect it stands at the head of the list of towns and cities in the State, and the expenses seem to be increasing faster than the population.

Alderman Kennedy expressed the pop-

ular feeling in the board of aldermen. Monday evening, when he called atten-tion to the very expensive nature of our school system and said that a careful ex-amination should be made, to see if the

outlay of \$25,000 is absolutely required.

There is a general feeling that the present majority in the school board is not an economical one, and that it makes no pretensions to being so. Certainly the school expenses under their lead have shown an unprecedented increase, and they are responsible for the high rate of taxation we have had the past few years. Of course the schools are growing with the increase in population, and new buildings may be necessary, but this is the more reason why the other school expenses should be care lly and conscientiously looked after, school board is practically irresponsible, and even the wisest and most careful city council may find their labors save the city's money and thus secure a low rate of taxation frustrated.

As high taxes are a fatal obstacle to the growth of the city, and the many improvements that are being made will attract people here unless our tax-rate stands in the way, the school board can inflict a great injury on the city by demanding expenditures of money that are

not absolutely required.

There is a very general impression that if the school board expenditures were in the care of such competent business men as we have in the board of aldermen, the Newton schools would not prove any more expensive than those of other cit-ies, which do not expend within a third

are a real estate is concerned, the increases may be a consistent of the papers of the

THE NEWTON GRAPHIC, been made. Consequently it can have no legal standing before the board of aldermen, and the appointed hearing will not take place. The petition was signed by E. H. Hewins, and he is said to be making arrangments to organize a company. It looks as though the Newton Street Railway company would come out ahead, as so far there has been no opposition worth speaking of. The hearing before the railroad commissioners, on the company's petition to increase the capital stock, is advertised in another column, and as there is no possible objection, probably no one will apsine objection, probably no one win appear in opposition. It is said that arrangements are being made with the telephone company, whereby all interference with the telephone system will be avoided, and that the telephone company will make no further opposition.

THE finance committee looked over the Claffin school lot, Wednesday, which is some 300 feet on Washington Park by 150 on Walnut street. As there is 100 feet back of the present school building, that would seem to be ample space for the proposed new schoolhouse, without paying \$9,000 for the \$5 feet front on the side of Phipp's court. The land, by the way is only taxed for 20 cents a foot, and as 35 cents cash is asked for it, this as 35 cents cash is asked for it, this would seem to indicate that the valuation of property in the vicinity is not excessive. Why the land on Washington Park is not just as good for a school house as land on Walnut street, is something the average citizen does not understand. The tax rate is high enough at present without paying \$9.000 for land present without paying \$9,000 for land that is not an absolute necessity.

It is surprising that the representatives who have shown such an unfriendly disposition to Commissioner Goodell, should be so opposed to any investiga-tion. If they are right, they should favor having all the facts made public, and this the investigating committee propose to do, and there is but little doubt that Mr. Goodell will be thorough-ly vindicated ly vindicated.

THE Woman Suffrage Association are not discouraged over their failure to get any reform from the Legislature, but are preparing a "Historical Pageant," which shall present the leading events in the history of our Commonwealth. It will be produced Thursday, May 9, at the Hollis Street Theatre.

THE street light contract passed both branches unanimously this year, which was rather phenomenal, as usually there has been more or less opposition. The general approval this year is due to the excellent nature of the contract, which is the most favorable one the city ever had.

WE have received a number of communications amendment question, which will have to wait over till next week, on account of the many reports of meetings this

BIENNIAL elections received a majority, but not a two-thirds vote in the house, Wednesday, and so this muchneeded reform is put off another year.

SPRING is here, according to the almanac, and the price of coal has dropped.

OUR BOSTON LETTER.

The Real Estate Boom - The Boston and Albany's Success - President Bliss on Newton Grade Crossings -Legislative Remaions.

From Our special Correspondent: THE REAL ESTATE BOOM.

It should more properly be termed the uilding boom, opens in 1889 with greater proportions than in any previous year in the history of Boston and immediate suburbs. I say the building boom because, so far as real estate is concerned, the increased purchases in that direction were made some time previous.

time previous.

I notice that some of the papers of the

Crosby's amendment, in the abstract, was correct, but the temper of the Senate and the temper of the House were against it. Now that the matter, so far as the State

Now that the matter, so far as the State is concerned, is finally settled, I may state some facts which came to me through a director of the corporation. On the evening of the day when the final enactment was passed there was a meeting of the finance committee of the board of directors of the B. & A. R. R. The director in question asked Mr. Bliss, the president, what were the intentions of the board. Mr. Bliss replied, "It is not the intention of the corporation to R. The director in question asked Mr. Bliss, the president, what were the intentions of the board. Mr. Bliss replied, "It is not the intention of the corporation to force this stock or put it on the market further than the necessities of the case require. Within a year or a little more, we shall want to place a million or a million and a half to meet contingencies. Among these contingencies will come first, the separating of grades in Newton; the possible straightening of the time between Newton and Brighton, and the not remote contingency of purchasing lands between Newton and Brighton for storage facilities, etc. The balance of the ten millions will be strictly applied to meeting the bonds of the corporation, including those of the State as they mature." How the people are to suffer from this distribution of the ten millions of additional stock is a question that can easily be answered. They will not suffer at all except in the imagination of a set of cranks who will seize upon anything to hoist themselves into popular favor. I am no friend of the management of the B. & A. R. R., but in this last movement it has shown a level head.

THE BOSTON AND ALBANY RAHROAD BILL IN THE WEST WING.

Some two years ago, after the West End street railway consolidation bill had passed both branches of the legislature by overwhelming majorities the opposition, nor satisfied, sought to induce the argument of the suffer at all except in the intention of the second children of the argument of the second children of the properation. The war has not been carried into the West Wing. The Governor, with his usual courtesy, has said that he will not be in undue haste to sign the bill or veto it. There are five days allowed by law for him to consider what he will do and this will give ample opportunity for the City Council of Boston, ex-President Jenkins and Mayor Hart and their followers to air their oratory in the Council chamber. By the way, the late interview between Mayor Hart and bis Excellency must have been exceedingly dry.

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Prohibition Rally

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The movement in favor of the Constitutional Amendment will be inaugurated by the Citizens' Committee of Newton in Eliot Hall, Tuesday evening, March 26, (next week), at 7.30 o'clock. The Committee deem themselves fortunate in being able to secure addresses from Hon. J. B. Grinnell, ex-member of Congress for Prohibitory Iowa, and Rev. D. O. Mears, D. D., of Worcester, with Thos. Weston to preside. Mr. Grinnell is a bright, spicy and funny speaker, while his son-in-law, Rev. Dr. Mears, is one of the war horses in this grand movement. It will prove an inspiriting occasion to which every lady is invited. Those seeking light are especially invited to attend. Music by Amphion male quartette. The following are some of the speakers that have been invited to participate in the rallies to be held in the different villages of Newton. Hon. J. B. Grinnell of Iowa, Col. Colquitt of Georgia, Col. R. S., Cheever of Kentucky, Hon. C. I. Terrell of Natick, Mrs. Ellen Foster of Iowa, Revs. J. B. Price of North Carolina, D. O. Mears of Worcester, J. B. Dunn, W. I. Haven, A. H. Plumb, Fred Woods, Hugh Montgomery, R.A. White, Pleasant Hunter, A. J. Patterson, A. M. Osgood, Mr. Geo. W. Penniman, Hon. B. B. Johnson, C. O. Norcross.

The Needs of Nonantum.

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To the Editor of the Graphic.

May I trespass upon your space to protest against the action, or rather complete inaction, of the city government in regard to the needs of Nonantum.

One passes through the other parts of Newton and finds good streets, good videwalks, good lights, and everything in a conditionlywhich beseems a Garden City. But when one reaches Nonantum—presto change—the streets are full of ruts, gulleys, humps and hollows, which makes travelling over them not only uncomfortable but also decededly unsafe. The sidewalks are rough, ill-kept, in one place leaped with stones and gravel, in many places allogether wanting. Is this right? Is it just? Must the people in Nonantum pay taxes simply to embellish the other parts of Newton and receive no benefits themselves?

In other parts of the city, streets have been laid out, making the adjoining land available for building purposes. In Nonantum, too, there is land which might be built upon, but under the present condition of things people hesitate to invest money there.

Will the street committees in both branches of the city government take a little trouble to investigate the condition of the streets in Nonantum, (California, Crescent and Faxon streets in particular), and then—ACT.

STICK-IN-THE-MUD.

MARRIED.

OSBERG—DAY—At Newton Lower Falls, Mch 15, by Rev, Arthur P, Sharp, John E. Osberg and Alice Day both of Wellesley. BAGLEY—WILSON—At Newton Lower Falls, Mchli5, by Rev, Arthur P, Sharp, George W. Bagley of Tyngsborough and Genevieve Wilson of Newton.

DIED.

HARRIS-At Newton Highlands, Mch 14, Arlon Harris, aged 46 yrs, 5 mos. BICKFORD—At Newton, Meh 18, Charlotte J. widow of Thomas Bickford, aged 62 yre, 6 mos GRAVES—At West Newton, Meh 18, Phebe, wid ow of Hiram Graves, aged 76 yrs, 9 mos, 2 dys



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Public Hearing.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Board of Railroad Commissioners

Boston, March 15, 1889.

On the Petition of the Newton Street Railway Company for leave to increase its capital stock for the purpose of building and equipping its railway upon the locations granted to the Company, and extensions thereof, by the addition of fifty thousand dollars, so that the total capital stock of said corporation shall be one hundred thousand dollars, the Board will give a public hearing at their office, No. 20 Beacon street, Boston, on Tuesday, the twenty-sixth day of March, inst, atteleron o'clock in the forenoon. And the petitioner is required to give notice of said hearing by publication hereof in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper printed in said Newton, previous to the date of said hearing.

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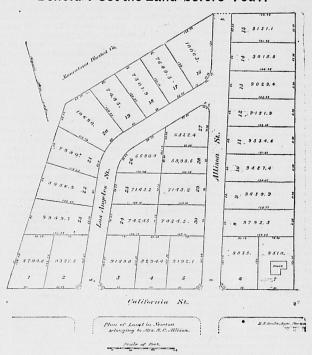
Charles F. Rand. REAL ESTATE. INSURANCE. MORTGAGES,

While recently perusing an Ancient Classic, [a copy of which is in the Public Library, opposite my office in Newton|, I became interested in a description therein of a piece of Real Estate, and the thought struck me that it might very appropriately have been penned in reference to a plat of land I now offer for sale. The land is situated about equi-distant from the Newton Station on the Boston and Albany Rail Road, and the Watertown Station the Fitchburg Rail Road. I quote verbatim:

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"The land which we passed through is an exceedingly good

"Ye may possess this good land, and leave it for an inheritance to your children forever."

"Behold, I Set the Land before You!!"



"That ye may live: go in and possess the land."

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FOR SALE-Eight shares of Elliott Tricycle stock. Apply to this office. 22 2t

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NEWTONVILLE.

—Mr. Price is building a handsome new residence on Cabot street.

The new series of shares of the Newton operative bank will date from April 1st —Mr. Hunter will speak next Sabbath morning on the Constitutional Amendment -At the meeting of Eliot lodge, K. of H. mday, degrees were given to two candi

Miss Minerva E. Leland, who has been quite ill, has resumed her duties as teacher in the High school.

—Mr. Curtis Abbot is having an addition built to the residence occupied by Mr Lewis on Bowers street.

Lewis on Bowers street.

—Mr. Frank H. Ormsby of Walnut Terrace has engaged in business in New York City, and will reside there in the future.

—The residence of Mr. T. C. Nickerson on Lowell street has undergone a series of improvements and the house is enlarged.

The new organ for the Methodist society arrived this week and has been pu in place. It is said to be a very fine instru

—Lenten services will be held at the res-dence of Mrs. Peck, corner of Central venue and Court streets, Monday after-

—It is rumored that Mr. Austin Sherman intends building a fine residence on Walnut street near Alderman Grant and Nelson H. Brown.

Brown.

-Rev. Mr. Hunter was among those present at the meeting of the Newton Congregational club and participated in the religious exercises.

-The class of '92, Newton High school, has organized a base ball club. Geo. Phipps has been elected manager and Wm. Lomax, captain.

Lomax, captain.

Miss Annie Cushman's sketches of
Newton scenery in her new studio in Park
square, are very pleasing and specially so to
lovers of local scenes.

—The Red men are much pleased with their new quarters in Cole's hall, where the tomahawk will now menace all intrusions into the private wigwam. W. L. Chaloner has just completed a series of water color sketches illustrating "Shakespeare's Sunsets," to be published by the D. Lothrop company.

—Messrs. Fuller and French have sold a buse lot in Kimball terrace containing out 7.000 feet, to Mr. Saunders of Boston, ho will erect a fine residence.

—Mr. Henry J. Preston, the architect, has completed his plans for Mr. Soden's new \$20,000 residence, which will be erected on the Barrett estate, Washington Park.

—Mr. Henry F. Ross is doing public service by tearing out the fire trap back of Mrs. Williams' drug store, and a neat brick building will greatly improve the square.

—The building committee of the Central Congregational church has purchased the Soden estate on Walnut street for a site for a new church. The price paid was in the vicinity of \$15,000.

-Mr. W. H. Dyer is moving a portion of his goods this week to the store which he will occupy in Central block. He expects to greet his customers in the new stand next week.

—The L. S. N. Whist club met on Foster street at the residence of Mr. H. D. Wellington, Monday evening. Captain and Mrs. G. F. Elliott, and Mrs. A. B. Johnson were the guests of the evening.

—The discipline at the High school is well maintained, as several of the pupils are now fully aware, a number having been suspended for leaving the building after recitations without permission.

—The cellar is nearly completed for the new brick building which will be erected by Mr. H. F. Ross, on the land between the stores of Mrs. A. E. Williams and D. C. Fitch, alluded to in our last issue.

—On and after Sunday next, the 24th of March, the post office here will be open from 9 till 10 a.m. A mail which will close at 6 o'clock will leave for all points, north, south, east and west on and after that date.

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—The prospect of a fine hotel in a commanding location, in connection with the electric state railway, fills the hearts of citizens of Ward Two with enthusiasm, and it is hoped the prospect may soon prove a definite fact.

—There will be a union temperance meeting at the Central Congregational church next Sunday evening. The temperance question will be treated from the standpoint of a business man. Addresses by business means the contract of the contract of

— Arrangements are being perfected for the fair in aid of the Cottage Hospital, un-der the auspiese of the Newtonville Giris' Guild, to be held at the residence of Mrs. MacDonald, Highand street, April 5, and Indications point to a successful result.

"The Woman's Guild met at Mrs. J. G. Tompson's on Otis street, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when short papers by different members were read on "The Training of Children," followed by discussion and a general interchange of opinions on this important topic.

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—Miss Crete Kimball received her friends on her sixth birthday at her home, March 16th. The children present were Morton Kimball, Fannie Curtis, Amy and Alice Shapleigh, Ada Wells, Grace and Mabel Curtis, and Neille West. The party was a pleasant one and much enjoyed by all. Miss Kimball received many pretty presents.

—Undoubtedly the many friends of Mr. David Trowbridge will be surprised to hear of his marriage in Paradise, California, after living so many years of "single blessedness." He lett Kewtonville about forty years ago for the Golden State, only returning for a short visit to his brother and sister, James Trowbridge and Mrs. Chas. 8. Pulsifer.

Pulsifer.

—While Luke Ashley, an employe of H. P. Dearborn, was driving down Highland street and when near the residence of Mr. F. L. Feiton, in Ward 3, the horse stumbled and he jumped from the wagon, badly spraining his right ankle. He was taken to the police station, where he was attended by Dr. Crockett and was subsequently assisted into a carriage by Capt. Davis and taken to his home.

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—Mrs. Henry P. Dearborn will make a visit to old Provincetown again to the home of her aged parents. Her mother, Mrs. Nickerson, seems to have quite recovered from the fall which so nearly proved fatal, and was able to come to Newtonville and make her annual visit—a matter for congratulation from her many friends. Truly the old seaport furnishes some remarkable types of physical and natural vigor.

—Rev. B. A. White referred.

natural vigor.

—Rev. R. A. White referred to his Sunday morning sermon as a "picked up" one, and one of his parishioners likened it to a picked up dinner, where so many dainty fragments are combined that it proves a feast. Certainly the preacher's words glowed and scintillated, and were withal so earnest and true that the deep interest of the congregation was held to the end, and they carried away many a beautiful thought for future meditation.

—The interior valuations and

for future meditation.

—The interior painting and decoration of the Methodist church is about completed, and the combination of colors is harmonious and pleasing. Two handsome panels at either side of the pulpit platform greatly enhance the effect of color. The new organ is from the factory of Messrs. Hook and Hastings, a recommendation sufficient for all musical people who can appreciate the pure tone and grand harmony of these celebrated instruments.

—An enterprising business man who owns considerable real estate near Bul-lough's Pond, says that as soon as the

board of aldermen grant the permission to the electric railway to operate its line on Walnut street, he will build ten handsome houses, to be rented at about \$600 a year, or sold at \$6,000. The aldermen ought to hurry up in their deliberations, so as to give us this addition to our population the coming summer.

coming summer.

—The Newtonville Literary and Social club presented the farce "None so Deaf as those who won't Hear," and the drama "Above the Clouds" in the Universalist caurch parlors last evening. The pieces were well staged and the characters well sustained. Henry Cotting as a city nabob and George Bridges in the character of the countryman were especially commendable.

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—The New England Telephone Company this week run two lines to Newton Centre from the central office at Newtonville. This was rendered necessary, owing to the large increase of subscribers at Newton Highlands and Newton Centre. It is probable that a new switch board will be placed in the central office and other improvements made in the near future. The services of another operator will, it is understood, be secured, owing to the large increase in the work of the office.

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—At the meeting of the Goddard Literary amion in the Universalist church parlors. Tuesday evening, it was voted to place \$100 of the funds of the association into the church treasury. The usual musical and literary features followed the business session and the following enjoyable program was rendered: Plano solo, Miss Holt; song, Mrs. Phipps; reading, Mr. Boyden; song, Mrs. Phipps; reading, Mr. Boyden; song, Mrs. Church (Eupp; tenor solo, Mr. C. N. Sladen; reading, Mr. Buxton; song, Mrs. Phipps.

—Ellot Lodge and Garden City Lodge.

solo, Mr. C. N. Sladen; reading, Mr. Buxton; song, Mrs. Phipps.

—Eliot Lodge and Garden City Lodge, Knights of Honor, hold their union meeting at Masonie Hall next Tuesday evening, and it is expected to be a very popular affair. The grand officers, with guests from Framingham. Holliston, Natick, Waltham, Watertown, Boston, and other places will be present, and the exercises will begin at 7 o'clock. Addresses from the grand officers are expected. Prof. Ryerson will give humorous selections. Mr. Fred Hobart will give saxophone and xylophone solos, accompanied on the piano by Mr. James A. Mann, formerly of Newton, and Mr. A. S. Bryant, will give one of his inimitable stump speeches. Supper will be served at 9 o'clock, and every Knight in Newton will miss the best entertainment ever given by the order in Newton, if he is not present.

WEST NEWTON.

—Mr. Stephen Child is going to Buffalo, N. Y., to establish himself in business. -The estate of the late George E. Allen is offered for sale and may be sold at

—Mr. Fred T. Burgess has opened a plumbing and gas fitting shop in Nickerson's block.

—Miss Lottie Hardy of Chatham, who has been visiting Mrs. H. A. Barker, has returned home.

—The last meeting of the Lyceum will be held next Monday eaening, and an unusu-ally fine program has been prepared.

--Rev. W. H. Cobb is one of the best informed speakers in the state upon the constitutional amendment question.

--Mr. B. F. Houghton's addition to his store and building, corner of Washington and Elm streets, is nearly completed.

—Mr. Edward Spaulding of Hillside avenue has leased the house of Mr. Seth Bliss, corner of Winthrop and Shaw streets. —In graphs

—in another column will be found an in-teresting review of Rev. N. P. Gilman's new book on "Profit Sharing," written by Mr. E. F. Kimbail. —In court since our last issue, 10 cases have been disposed of as follows: drunks, 7; violation of the liquor law, 2; assault and battery, 1.

—In the police court Tuesday afternoon, John O'Mara for assault and battery on his wife, was sentenced to one year in the house of correction.

-Mrs. George Homer gave a reception at her residence on Highland street, from 3 to 6, Wednesday afternoon, in honor of her neice, Miss Tebbitts.

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—St. Patrick's day was celebrated on Monday, and in this city there was no unusual demonstration, and but apparent little recognition of the day.

—The quartet choir connected with the Newton Centre Congregational church sang at the Congregational club Monday, to the delight of all present.

—Mr. Warren Kilburn sailed from New York on Wednesday, in the steamer, State of New York, and will visit the Paris Ex position during his absence.

—Mr. and Mrs. George M. Chase were here from Portland, Me., this week. Mr. Chase remained only over night as his business compelled him to return immediately.

—The condition of the venerable mother of the Messrs. Allen, (Mrs. Lucy Ellis Allen,) remains about the same. The shock to her system sustained by her fall has been very great.

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—A Temperance meeting will be held in City hall, Sunday afternoon, when the Constitutional amendment will be discussed by Rev. W. H. Cobb. Musical program by quartet choir from Congregational church, Newton Centre. tional church, Newton Centre.

—Miss Hattie Allen was greeted by a company of about 25 young ladies and gentelmen, at the residence of her father, on Crescent court last Friday evening. She was greatly surprised but performed the duties as hostess acceptably Social features, games, daneing and a collation were the features of the occasion.

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On warrants from the Superior court,
John McCarthy and Patrick Coleman were
arrested and taken down to East Cambridge
for sentence, both having been convicted
of violation of the liquor law, the appeals
taken by the defendants from the decisions
of the local court not being sustained. It
would seem as though the trials of the
tunseller, in this city, were indeed
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—Something unusual in the way of music will be furnished for those who attend the Lyceum at City Hall on Monday evening next. Mr. Sannel Goldstein, of the Boston Symphony orchestra, has been secured as soloist. He will be assisted by Miss Ynda Schwartz, accompanist. The program will include the following numbers: a. Romanza Andaniza, Parasate, b. Tanse Menitaer, Wirniawski; No. 2, a. Louvinerde Duppe, Goldstein, b. Mazurka, Wirniawski. Those who attend will have a chance to hear a very line artist and at very little expense.

—The civil security

expense.

The civil service commissioners, who conducted an examination recently in City Hall for the permanent and temporary clerical service of the city, report the following list of names eligible for the post, tions: Fannie L. Stowell, Fannie L. Page, Elizabeth B. Hinckley, Caroline M. Jordan Gertrude A. Elder, Julia Williams, Jennie L. Peck, Leonora A. Johnson, Emma Niek, erson, Harry A. Vose, Nellie M. Heyward, Ruth G. Leavitt, Carrie Biodgett, Mary E. Nolan, Stella J. Lewis, Theodore A. Fleu

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—That Loyalty Lodge of Good Templars
is allive is demonstrated by the fact that it
is putting in good solid work in the present
campaign. It is certainly to be congratulated for the very profitable series of meeting
which are being held under its auspices in
the City Hall, Sunday afternoons. This is
practical work and reflects great credit upon this lodge. The meetings thus far have
been productive of great good. We advise
all who wish to listen to prohibition to attend these meetings, as speakers who are
thoroughly conversant with the subject
have been secured to speak upon the ques-

tions at issue concerning the constitutional amendment.

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—At the Unitarian church sociable last Friday evening, the Alpha Banjo Club of the Institute of Technology gave a very enjoyable concert, with the following program: Medley March, Alpha Banjo Club; Flight of the Red Horse, Reading, P. G. Parsons; Let Her Go Gallop, P. A. Warner, banjearin, accompanist, H. A. Ladd, guitar; Flower of Flock March, H.A. Ladd, guitar; Triumph March, Alpha banjo Club; Trick Dance, C. E. Buekholt, piecolo banjo; New Post Office Clerk, Reading, P. G. Parsons; Out on a Parade, A. C. Aldrich, banjo, accompanist, H. A. Ladd, guitar; Flash Gallop, P. G. Parsons, banjo; accompanist, H. A. Ladd, guitar; Flash Gallop, P. G. Parsons, banjo; accompanist, H. A. Ladd, guitar; 9th Annual March, Alpha Banjo Club.

—The last sociable of the season of the Unitarian society was held in the church parlors last Friday evening and it was a delightful social event. The music for the occasion was rendered by the Alpha banjo and guitar club and was notable for brilliant exception and artistic interpretation. It is a strong combination of young missicians and the playing compares favorably with some of the noted banjo clubs of the country. It is not the noted banjo clubs of the country of the program may be mentione features of the Program may be mentione features of the New Postmaster," being to the received. At the conclusion of the entertainment, darcing was enjoyed and the usual collation was partaken of.

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—Rev. Mr. Jackson at the last meeting of the Educational Club gave one of the best papers of the season upon Alaska. A large portion of the public are quite ignorant in regard to the extent and resources of this great continent, owing to gross mistatements published by our daily journals. He gave a very interesting account of the people, their mode of living, etc., also of the few schools established by the different missions, and the anxiety of the people to obtain an education, which is limited sadly for want of funds furnished by the government. Teachers stationed there can receive intelligence from their friends but once a year. A vote was passed to subscribe for a paper published in Alaska, for the club, also to petition President Harrison to represent government by a better class of men than the two last administrations have sent. Mr. Jackson replied to numerous questions excited by the interest he had awakened.

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—Miss Mary E. Stone and pupils gave their eighteenth piano recital at the residence of Mrs. To luna, Washington street, who kindly opened her parloss for that purpose last Friday. They were assisted by Miss Lawton, reader: Mr. Duane, tonor; and Mr. Reed, bass. More than one hundred guests were present and all nipoyed and preciated the exercises of the eventual appreciated the eventual appreciation of each reventual appreciated the eventual appreciated and william Ohneuse. The majority of Miss Stone's pupils are young people, yet there is noticeable improvement with the advent of each recital, due to conscientions teaching and earnest work on the part of the pupils —For the exhibition of technical virtuosity the concert given at City Hall on Wed.

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—For the exhibition of technical virtuosity the concert given at City Hall on Wednesday evening under the management of Mr. A. F. Wright, surpassed anytking ever heard in Newton. Mr. De Seve is unquestionably a master of the technique of his instrument, indeed, we know of no more perfect one, but there is an exaggeration of effect, together with a noticeable lack of real musical feeling. Mr. Lafricaine's cornet solos, particularly the familiar air from 'Robert Le Diable,' were rendered in a most artistic manner. While never foreing his tone, Mr. Lafricaine produces that even, smooth quality which is too often unknown to the average cornetist. The contra bass solos of Mr. Goldstein were finely rendered. Mr. Goldstein has perfect command of his instrument, his intonation being always perfect and his phrasing artistic. Mr. Heindl completed the list of virtuosi, contributing two solos to the program, which were faultiessly played. The vocalists were not quite as successful as the instrumentalists, perhaps on account of the well known acoustical properties of City Hall. Mr. Campanari's voice is better suited to Music Hall than to this one, it being of too large and powerful a quality. Mrs. Hitch has a most excelent technique but a very unmusical voice. She possesses a remarkable conpass, however, and the control of the control of the program of the control of the control of the program of the control of the program of the program of the control of the program of the program of the program of the program of the control of the well known acoustical properties of City Hall. Mr. Campanari's voice is better united to husbe Hall than to this one, it becomes a remarkable control of the program of th

AUBURNDALE.

-Special Officer Taffe will be on duty here for a few weeks.

-The familiar face of Capt. Haskell is welcome, after his long absence.

—Mr. Charles Robinson and family remove to Chicago next week, where Mr. Robinson is to enter into business.

- 'The Women's Board of Missions Auxil-ary met at the Mission Home, Wednesday afternoon, when interesting reports were given from foreign fields.

—The W. C. T. U. constitutional amend-ment committee met in the Congregational chapel Monday evening, for the purpose of selecting leaflets to be distributed in this ward. ward.

"The constitutional amendment commit-tee met at Mr. Horace Dutton's residence Wednesday evening, and disussed cam-paign work. Two rallies have been ar-ranged, one at the Congregational church and the other in Auburn Halfunder Catholic

- Rev. W. W. Sleeper will give a lecture at the Congregational chapel, next Tuesday evening, assisted by Miss May E. Sleeper, contralto. Subject, "Vienna to Constanti-

—Mr. George Briggs, son of the former principal of Lasell seminary, was in Au-burndale this week. Mr. Briggs is the manager of a large lumber factory in Fair-field, Maine.

—Many people here will be pleased to learn that Mr. E. E. Staples, formerly clerk at the Woodland Park hotel, is be-coming one of the most popular hotel clerks in the Hub and has already made many warm friends. many warm releads.

—Mr. Miller's new residence on Lexington street will soon be ready for occupancy. Building is booming on this street and eight new houses are now underway. Houses are being erected in all parts of the city and within two years the population of Newton will be at least 30,000.

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—At the meeting of Riverdale ledge, N. E. O. P., in Auburn hall, Monday evening, twelve candidates were initiated, the work being finely exemplified by the officers of the ledge. Riverdale ledge has started under the most favorable auspices and already has a very large membership of representative ladies and gentlemen who avail themselves of the low rate of insurance and pleasant social features associated with such beneficent organizations. The order

ly small in comparison with other orders.

—Services at the church of the Messiah; on Monday, March 25, the Annunciation of St. Mary, the Virgin, the holy communion at 7:30 a. m. and evensong at 4:30 p. m. On Tuesday evening, the Rev. Albert E. George of South Boston will preach, service to begin at 7:45. On Wednesday, a lecture on the third penitential psaim, the 38th, at 4:30 p. m. On Thursday, the holy communion at 9:45 a. m. and evensong at 7:45 p. m. with sermon by the Rev. Wm. F. Cheney of Dedham. Other services, Friday at 7:45 p. m. and Saturday at 4:30 p. m.

—Conductor D. B. Barrett, who runs the

p. m. and Saturday at 4.39 p. m.

—Conductor D. B. Barrett, who runs the 9 o'clock passenger train from Boston to South Framingham on the Boston & Albany railroad, was presented with an elegant conductor's lantern, suitably engraved, last Friday evening. The presentation was made just as the train passed the Auburndale station, Dr. Bartlett of Wellesley Hills presenting the glit in a neat speech. Conductor Barrett, although much surprised, responded appropriately. The affair was arranged by Mr. Miner of Natick and numerous patrons of the road were present when the glft was presented, among them being Mr. and Mrs. Miner, Dr. Bartlett, Mr. H. C. Woodbury, Mr. Cunninguam, Mr. O. A. Pike and several ladies.

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—While Bent's huge 6-horse team was passing along Auburn street last Saturday evening, the canvas top hit against an overhanging branch of a tree and broke it off. When the limb fell, the reins were knocked from the driver's hand and the horses became frightened and ran down Auburn street below Rowe at a break-neck speed. An accident seemed more than probable, but the driver, Clinton Haywood, who is an experienced horseman, recognized the great danger and at ones ought to avert it. He steepen a however, gaining the victory. He grabbed the leaders by the head and brought the horses to a stand-still. It was a remarkable performance and denoted great presence of mind.

—The Rev. Mr. Braddon, rector of Christ

markable performance and denoted great presence of mind.

—The Rev. Mr. Braddon, rector of Christ church, Hyde Park, gave an excellent sermon at the church of the Messiah, Tuesday evening. He exhorted all Christians to remember that they were but strangers and pilgrims and to abstain from every thing which could bring reproach upon the church. The Rev. Mr. George of South Boston will preach next Tuesday evening. The Rector gave an exposition of the second penitential psalm, the 32nd. This was St. Augustine's favorite psalm. It speaks of forgiveness sought and obtained. Forgiveness breaks upon the penitent like the sun after a tempest. The psalm begins with a beatitude,—Blessed are the innocent and the penitent. The verse which refers to the horse and mule has been incorrectly rendered. Rightly translated, the closing verses of the psalm mean that the gentle guidance of the eye should be enough for the Christian and he should not need the forcible control of bit and bridle.

Lasell Notes.

Mrs. Gardner has been persuaded by her daughters to remain a week longer in Au-burndale.

Miss Helen Johnson and Miss Grace Kit-eld, former pupils of the school called on liss Adamson during the week.

Professor and Mrs. Bragdon at the last writing were in San Antonio, and had not yet arrived at Fort Worth, Texas.

The cooking class on Monday prepared a supper. Muffins, scalloped oysters, spong-drops, orange jelly and tea, formed the me

Rev. Mr. Knox of Auburndale, aided in conducting the morning devotions in the chapel on Friday the 15th, and afterward risited various classes.

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Miss Herfelfinger has had a call from her father; Miss Harding from her brother; Miss Bogart from her unele, Mr. Brown; Miss Alexander from Mrs. Warren and Mrs. Hunter; Miss Mathews from her father, and Miss Hall from both parents.

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Miss Adele Roth, teacher of German, having been indisposed for several days, MissZeickelbron of Berlin is conducting her classes. The young ladies, on Saturday morning, sent into Miss Roth's room a magnificent bouquet of choice flowers. They keep her constantly supplied.

On Sunday morning, Dr. B. K. Pierce delivered a sermon in the chapel, the morning being rainy and some of the pupils unable to go out. In the afternoon the missionary society held its session. The subject under consideration was the work done by the American people in foreigh missions.

missions.

Owing to the illness of her youngest child, Mrs. Wagner, sister of Mrs. Bragdon, was obliged to cut short her visit in Auburndaic. She left for her home in Williamsport, Monday the 18th, accompanied by her sister, Miss Ransom, as far as New York. Miss Ransom was back at school, Wednesday the 20th.

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On Wednesday afternoon, March 20, Miss Talbot's lecture upon Sanitation was omitted, and Prof. J. A. Hills gave one of his lectures upon music, answering various questions and calling upon his pupils for piano illustrations. In the evening he was one of the teachers who escorted a large party of pupils to the grand concert at City Hall, West Newton, under the management of Mr. Albert F. Wright.

The Newton Base Ball Club.

Newton, Mass., March 19, 1889. to the Editor of the Graphic:

Newton, Mass., March 19, 1889.
To the Editor of the Gharpito:
As the long looked for base-ball season is at hand, and the many clubs of the country will soon be battling for honors, I would respectfully ask you to publish in this week's issue of your well-liked paper, the following account of the Newton base ballists' doing; particulaly of the club known as the "Newtons." It is composed of the following talent, Mr. T. Kincla, the well known eatcher and acknowledged best all-round player of Newton, formerly captain of the Champion Athletics of '87, formerly pitcher of Coleman Mead & Co's. base ball team. Mr. D. Sullivan, recently 3rd base of Channey Hall and Boston College.
Mr. R. Dalton, formerly captain and first base of the Silver Lake's of Newton. Mr. M. Kincla, the reliable old second base of the Champion Ideals of '87, who has had offers to play professionally.

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Oh, the Ruby flashed, and the Ruby glowed,
And the Ruby flamed with a blood-red flame;
And over the mountains the Lover came,
Came wandering slowly and anxious-browed.
"Choose net Choose net" the Ruby cried,
"Whit fit more grand for a stately dame?
I breathe Love's fire with my gorgeous red!"
The Dianond lay on its velvet bed;
But never a word the Diamond said.

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"Choose me! Choose me!" the Sapphire cried.
O doubting Lover.
Go search, an' it please thee, the wild world over,
What git more fair that a Sappher's blue?—
Love's color—L. The Ruby is bold
In its launting pride,
The Emerald cold
In its loveless green,
Beware of Pearls for a promised bride,
The fitful opal is fair to see.
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"Ah, pure and white "My shimmering light," Spake the Pearl's sweet voice, "as the fair white breast

breast
Where I would rest.
What gift more lovely than I'' it cried;
'Choose me for thy maider; me by right
Of delicate beauty and worth allied.'
The Diamond lay on its velvet bed;
But never a word the Diamond said.

"Choose me!" called the Amethyst. Crowned kings
My royal color have proudly worn;
No lover a lordiler jewel brings;
A Queen I reign, for thy Queen was born.
O hearken, and know me a taithful guide."
The Diamond lay on its velvet bed;
But never a word the Diamond said.

The Ruby, crimson with anger, flamed;
The Opal flushed with pained surprise;
The Amethyst opened its voilet eyes;
The Sapphire glittered with outraged pride;
The Pearl wept sliently, sore asbamed;
For close beside
No Diamond lay on its velvet bed;
Yet never a word had the Diamond said.

-From The Connoisseur for March.

JACK AND I.

I was so tired of Jack, poor boy, And Jack was tired of me: Most longed for sweets will soonest cloy; Fate had been kind, and we, Two foolish, spendthrift hearts, made waste Of life's best gifts with eager haste.

Ch! tired were we. Time seems so long
When everything goes well!
The wails of home rose grim and strong;
Like prisoners in a cell
Wastespleed our marriage chains, and nin When ever the way of home rose grim and scrope, The wails of home rose grim and scrope, Like prisoners in a ceil We clanked our marriage chains, and pined For freedom we had left behind.

Tired, thred of love and peace were we, Of every day's caim bliss! We had no goal to win, since he Was mine, and I was his; Ad so we sighed in mute despair, And wished each other any where.

But sorrow came one day—the pain
Of death's dark, awful fear;
Oh, then our hearts beat warm again;
Then each to each was dear,
It seemed that lite could nothing lack,
While Jack had me and I had Jack.
—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

MRS. BERTRAM'S MISSIONARY TEA.

BY EMILY F. WHEELER.

When Mrs. Day stopped me in the church porch that Sunday morning and asked if I could have the Missionary Tea that week I own I was a little vexed. The ladies take it in alphabetical order, and I had counted on it in October, when the house would be clean and the weath-er cooler; but it seemed Mrs. Bassett was out of town and Mrs. Bean was ill and Mrs. Bellnap had a household of com-pany. And my name came next.

to be gracious since she had the responsibility of the monthly meeting off her hands, and I dare say she settled in the pew to hear the sermon with a virtuous sense of duty performed; but as for me my mind was rather in a whirl over the arrangements. Entertaining the Massion of the property of the arrangements and the step said, "so popular," there were always more at why Mrs. Day had not hurried them, and it little May be the arrangements. Entertaining the Massion of the color of bility of the monthly meeting off her hands, and I dare say she settled in her

Mrs. Bellnap had a household of company. And my name came next.

"I meant to get over to your house this last week and see you about it," she explained. "I didn't know until Wednesday that Mrs. Bean couldn't take it. But it's been so hot, and then I knew you were always ready. So I wrote the notice and waited to see you here before I sent it up. I'm afraid we'll have to give it up unless you take it. And I'll bake the cake, if you like, to help you out, for it is short notice."

"Ob, of course! if there is really no one else," I said; but my tone wasn't very cordial. "As for the cake, thank you; but if I take it I'll do it all, as I always do, only I'm afraid you'll have a plain supper. I had extra work planned for this week and I can't put it off."

"We'll trust you for the supper," Mrs. Day answered. "It's ever so good of you to do it. I don't know what the Missionary Society would do without you, Mrs. Bertram."

That was all very well; she could afford to be gracious since she had the responsibility of the monthly meeting off her hands, and I dare say she settled in her pew to hear the sermon with a virtuous of the supper would again and a lader say she settled in her pew to hear the sermon with a virtuous well even we had a cover the cake and her hair-ribons.

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We always had our exercises from four to the supper should and the chair good in the provision of the su

Missionary was the center of the church and if one wanted to get acquainced she called the name of the latest newcomer—I'm not good at names—the minister was saying: "Finally, dear better"—"Sooh a good sermon as we had!" Mrs. Grant saids at shook hands with her. "I don't know when Brother Allen has ing does give one such a spellift!"

I hadn't had any that day-but it wasn't imply the minister's fault, and I was in too great a hurry just then to get across the church and speak to Mrs. Love to care, and the minister's fault, and I was in too great a hurry just then to get across the curch and speak to Mrs. Love to care, and the minister's fault, and I was in too great a hurry just then to get across the curch and speak to Mrs. Love to care, and the come. "All our ladies will be there," I said. "We're all devoted to the mission." I'm giat to bear it," she answered, smiling in a way that quite won my heart, "and" need to be seen that name in the Friend sometimes seen that had sometimes seen that name in the Friend sometimes seen that the sound in the sound in the sound in the sound in the sound in

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One woman wanted my receipt for sweet pickles, and three or four spoke of the Angels' food; and as for the coffee, my reputation on that was made years ago, tho all the secret is that I follow Dr. Holmes's maxim that "large heart never loved little cream pitcher." It was pleasant to see how they all enjoyed the supper, and how lively they were afterward. But one little speech struck like a discord in the cheerful chorns:

"Are your meetings all like this?" I heard Miss Preston ask.

"Ob, yes!" Mrs. Day answered; "it's the great social interest of the church. But there's a larger attendance than usus al—always is here. The supper counts with a good many, you know!"

And then, as she moved away, Miss Preston said, in a quick aside to her counting. "I should think so indeed! Why it's nothing but an Eating society it seems to me."

Of course with all I'd done that day I was too tired to sleep, and as I turned and tossed her words would come back to me. Was our society, after all, much more than a social and a supper to which the name gave a religious flavor? Did we come because we were interested in heathen women, or because of the loayes and the fishes? And if so were we much the name gave a religious flavor? Did we come because we were interested in heathen women, or because of the loayes and the fishes? And if so were we much better than heathen ourselves? And we thought we had no time to read or study; but if we took the time and effort we used in serving tables to inform ourselves, wouldn't our interest be quickened and the money—we had a pride in our yearly contribution—perhaps increased?

"I don't believe you slept much last night," John said at breakfast. "You look as the void been through the

"But how very tired you look," she said, as I brought it.

"It's a good deal of an undertaking to have the Missionary," I answered. "I sometimes think that if it wern't such a good cause I would give up my membership to escape it. But after the talk you gave us yesterday, I can't do that."

"It must indeed be a tax," Mrs. Lowe said, "if it's always as last night. I told cousin going home that I feared I could never have it myself, for I'm not as strong as I could wish."

"Oh, the ladies take it in pairs usually," I said hastily; "we couldn't excuse Mrs. Lowe that way. And it doesn't come very often. We tried, when we first organized," I went on to Miss Preston, "getting on without tea; but it didn't work at all; so fewl ladies took any interest. The society had doubled on the supper, and they bring us a good deal of money in the course of the year."

"I suppose," Miss Preston said, with a smile that took the sting out of her words, "that very few would think they could give five dollars a year to the cause; but once in two they will give you ten dollars in a supper, and the profit of it goes to the heathen.

"Yes," I went on, eager to justify it to her as I had been trying to all day to myself. "The supper seems absolutely essential. I have a s.ster—a minister's wife—and she says she has revived a good many dead and dying branches of the missionary tree by tea-meetings. And when I was visiting in Boston last year—in the very city where the first society was organized. Our plan gets them out at last."

"I understand," she answered. "I've been through it all myself. The point is, what can we do to interest them after we have," she smiled again, "caught them with the bait of a good supper."

"If you have been through it," I said, impetuously, "I wish you would tell us. I hought when you were talking yesterday how easy it is to say what we ought to do and how nice if we could—but how to go to work!"

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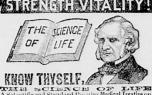
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"One of the ladies turned her committee into a Reading Club. They met one evening in the week at her house and took up a regular course on India. And they insisted their field was the most interesting; but I think that it was just that they studied more."

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"Oh, there's a free library in town, and it's a rule that when a certain number of persons ask for any book, it is bought, providing, of course, that it's of any general interest. The expensive ones we got that way, and the pamphlets and leaflets and two or three subscriptions to the "Gospel in All Lands," and magazine handed to her for home reading. And the study roused us so? Mite boxes were called for and thank offerings in creased. Presently some of us wanted a missionary prayer meeting; for it did seem as tho our only help in our growing sense of the great field and the terrible need was to pray over it. Well, we had a revival last winter and some of us think it began at that meeting. And when the year came round we had more money than ever before, and—what was of more value—a really working society. That's all. We didn't

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The late Isaac Hagar, Jr., of Newton Lower Falls, was at the time of his death one of the oldest of Newton's veteran firemen. He was appointed an assistant engineer in 1848, when Marshall S. Rice

engineer in 1848, when Marsball S. Rice of Newton Centre was chief. He served in that capacity until 1855, when he was elected Chief and re-elected in 1856, '57, '58, 59 and '60, whon he was succeeded by Alderman George Pettee of Ward 5.

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George H. Ellis of Newton Centre, 1877-79, and Henry L. Bixby of West Newton, the present incumbent, was appointed in 1879.
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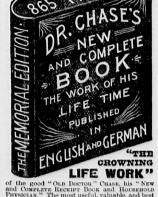
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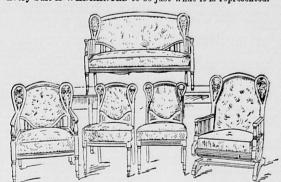
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NEWTON CENTRE

-Dr. Eaton has taken an office at Mr. McWain's on Pelham street.

—Miss Whitman of Hammond street has returned from her visit to Washington.

-Miss Minnie Speare has returned from Mexico, where she has been for some weeks. -Mr. Fernando Wood has returned from New York, where he has been on business.

-Mr. Arthur Muldoon is building a double house next to his own on Station street. —Mrs. Bassett of Chelsea is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Grout on Parker street.

—Miss Maud Gammans of Belfast, Maine, is visiting Mrs. James Gammans of Beacon street.

—Mayor Burr has been confined to the house for several days this week with a severe cold.

Miss Kittie Peabody of Hammond street is visiting friends in the west for several weeks. -Miss Emma Comer of Boston is visiting r aunt, Mrs. Thomas Peters of Centre reet for a week or two.

—Mrs. Bertrand Taylor of Beacon street has just returned from Maine, where she has been visiting her family.

—Miss Marion Nickerson of Institution avenue, entertained the whist club at her house on Wednesday evening.

—The Stebbins Social Aid society met on Wednesday afternoon at the house of Mrs. Walter Webber of Station street.

Rev. J. C. Jaynes of West Newton preached in the Unitarian church last Sun-day morning in exchange with the pastor.

—Rev. Horace L. Wheeler exchanged pulpits on Sunday with Rev. Mr. Jaynes of West Newton, who preached a very able

—Invitations are out for a party to be held in Associates' Hall the 28th of March. The party is under the management or two young men from Newton.

—Mr. Albert L. Harwood has been obliged, on account of a severe cold, to be absent from his duties in the Mason school for a day or two this week.

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—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gardiner, with
their daughter, Miss Frankie L. Gardiner,
returned yesterday from New York where
they have been during the week.

—The Newton Centre branch of the
Women's Auxiliary will hold its next meeting, Wednesday, March 27, at the house of
Mrs. Henry Warren, Station street.

—The house being built on Institution avenue by Mr. Sydney Clark is nearly finished and Mr. Brewer and family of Winchester will move into it this spring.

—The Catholics here have tried to buy three lots of land on which to build a large church. All the owners have refused to have their land used for such a purpose.

—Mr. aud Mrs. Reynolds of Dorchester are boarding at Mr. Caldwell's on Beacon Terrace. Mrs. Reynold's will be remembered as Miss Hattie Fay, formerly of this village.

—Mr. Swallow is recovering slowly from his recent illness, but as he will not be able to resume work before fall, Mr. Noble has engaged Mr. Stephens to assist in his drug store.

—Two short plays are, we hear, in preparation by the same young people who made the amateur theatricals in February so successful. The same orchestra has promised its services also.

—Mr. Shepherd L. Pratt has been appointed undertaker in place of Mr. Peck who resigns to take the place of assistant superintendent of streets made vacant by the death of his father.

—At a meeting of the Unitarian society held on Friday evening last, the society voted not to accept Rev. Horace L. Wheel-er's resignation, by a vote of 44 to 41, which was read two weeks before.

—There will be a service Sunday evening in the Unitarian church and all are cordially invited to be present. Rev. Edward Hale, associate pastor of the South Congregational church of Boston, will preach.

—The Dilletante club met on Monday evening with Miss Bowler of Paul street. The quartets were sung at this meeting by four members of the club, Mr. Shannon, Mr. Peters, Mr. Smith and Mr. Pinkham.

—Harry Bates is studying under a tuto in Duxbury, and is determined to re-enter college and maintain as high rank in his class as he has as a pitcher. He can easily do this as he entered college with many honors.

—List of letters advertised at Newton Centre post-office: W. J. Fisk, Wm. B. Henderson, John Hughs, Sam Johnson, Mary Leehan, Annie M. McFarlane, Patrick McLaughlin, Rev. S. S. Mitchell, Hannah Nelson, Mrs. O'Neal and Charles P. Patter-

—Owing to the action of the National Societies, antedating by a week the usual time of their anniversaries, the anniversary exercises of Newton Theological Institution will be held at the Baptist church, on Tuesday aftern

—The date of the next amateur theatri-cal entertainment is announced for Thurs-day, April 25. The proceeds will be given to the Ladies' Relief Corps of Newton, the ladies of which are doing a good work in this and the other villages. A clean dia-gram of seats for this entertainment will be placed in the drug store of Mr. Noble, Monday, April 1.

—It would be well if parents would use their influence with the boys to have their behavior more gentlemanly in the reading room. There are many older people reading there afternoons, and it is very annoying to them to be disturbed by boyish pranks and conversation. The reading room is only in part for their use, and it would be well if they would realize this fact.

—Mr. Charles H. Burrage has sold his handsome place at Chestnut Hill, to Mr. Bigelow of Bigelow, Kennard & Co., and has leased the Kingsbury homestead for five years. The latter house, which was built 200 years ago, has been thoroughly renovated, great care having been taken to preserve the old fashioned features, which make it especially attractive.

—Dr. Mary E. Bates has brought suit for \$12,000 against the Newton Journal for publishing an article, elipped from another paper, reflecting upon the character of her son, Harry Bates, the pitcher of the Harvard nine; also for publishing an item alleged to have been an injury to Dr. Bates, professionally. She has secured as counsel, Mr. Stillman B. Allen, of the firm of Allen & Long, and Mr. W. S. Slocum.

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—We are glad to hear that the vote of the Unitarian parish was to declive to accept Rev. Horace L. Wheeler's resignation, and we hope that this village will not soon lose so able and estimable a man. Mr. Wheeler's sermons are remarkably good, this fact is admitted even by those who would gladly say otherwise. In Harvard College and the Divinity School his rank was high, and all the members of the faculty who know him, speak in the warmest terms of him as a man and a preacher. The church would have to look a long time before finding any-

one so satisfactory as a man and as capable as a minister.

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"The silver vase, given as a prize in the bowling contest between the Newton Boat club and the Newton Centre Gun club, has been on exhibition in Mr. Noble's drug store, and is a very handsome affair. It bore the inscription, "Newton Boat Club vs. Newton Centre Gun Club, Bowling, Feb. 13, 16, March 22, 1889," also "Newton Centre Gun Club, Richardson, Hastings, Daniels, Gould, Kidder, Cutler, score 7710 plns; Newton Boat Club, Wood, Kimball, Cole, Loring, Raymond, Gore, 8866 plns."

pins; Newton Boat Club, Wood, Mimali, Cole, Loring, Raymond, Gore, 8896 pins."

—The Newton Centre Women's club held its last meeting at Mrs. J. H. Sanbour's, Institution avenue. The large attendance showed the interest felt in the topic, "The life of Dorothy Dix." by Mrs. Kennard of Brookline. When a young woman the attention of Miss Dix was providentially directed to the terrible treatment of the insane who were often confined in prisons and treated as criminals. Her life was devoted to the preaching of a new Gospel which taught that it was the duty of civilization to devote its energies to the cure, not punishment of a "Mind Diseased." Thoroughly practical, with a character in which Puritan firmness and the gentlest womanhood were strangely blended, she was able to enlist the sympathy and assistance of the philanthropic of all lands and accomplish her alloted work. She has passed from her labors with the respect and love of the Christian world only to receive the approval of Him who said, "In as much as ye have done it unto the least of these my little ones, ye have done it unto the."

these my little ones, ye have done it unto me."

—The party given by the Christian Endeavor, Society of the Congregational Church was held last evening in the church parlors and was very informal and pleasant. One hundred and lifty young people were present, an unusually large gathering of the younger portion of the different societies. The first feature of the evening was very laughable, it being a "mum sociable," and lasted exactly twenty-five minutes. The young hales did their best to get the young men to speak, every one doing so being obliged to pay a forfeit. The young men wishing a revenge, requested that the sociable be continued with the rules reversed. It was found much harder for the young men to kep silence than for their fair opponents. Appropriate mottees adorned the wall, causing much mirth. After this came several games which were planned and managed by Mr. S. V. A. Hunter, Jr., who is president of the Christian Endeavor Society. Coffee and cake was passed round and while these refreshments were being partaken of, the Misses Lancaster of Newton played a pretty duet on the plano which was heartly applauded. At about 10.30 the guests of the society began to go home, all speaking of the pleasure of such union meetings.

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—At the Methodist Social Union in Boston, Monday evening, Hon. Alden Speare spoke on the prohibitiory amendment. He admitted that prohibition did not wholly prevent the sale of llquor, but claimed that it prevented it as effectually as the laws against theft, arson, murder and other crimes prevented them. Replying to the assertion made by certain newspapers that General Neal Dow had declared prohibition a failure in Maine, Mr. Speare read a letter which Gen. Dow had written him, under date of March 8, 1889, as follows: "Please tell your friend that the Maine law is now and has been from the beginning a great success. (Applause.) It has swept away every distillery and brewery in the State, and one, our only great wine factory. It has reduced the victims of the liquor traffic to one-half per cent of its former proportions, and saves the people, directly or indirectly, more than \$20,000,000 annually, which, under any form of license, would be spent in drink. In the 3id rum time Maine was the poorest State in the Union; now it is one of the most prosperous. After more than 30 years' trial of prohibition, our people put it into the Constitution in 1884 by the majority of 47,075, the affirmative vote being three times the negative." Let no paper or man in Massachusetts hereafter say that Neal Dow does not believe in prohibition.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

-Mr. Wm. H. Geyer has entered the em-y of Mr. Spear, the stable-keeper. -Miss Newhall is at home after an absence of several weeks visiting friends.

-Mr. C. P. Clark, Jr., has been confined to the house by illness for a few days past. —Mr. L. A. Ross is building a stable for his own use, in the rear of his residence on Walnut street.

-Mr. A. J. Gibson, lately employed in Mr. Hall's market, has removed with his family to Somerville.

—Mr. Thomas McKenzie has taken tenement lately vacated by Mr. W. kitchie, over Mr. Hall's market.

—Mrs. Hilton has arrived home after an absence of two months visiting friends in Chicago and other western cities.

—Mrs. J. T. Waterhouse, the reader, filled an engagement at Natick on Wednes-day of this week, and will read in Boston, on Monday. F—The house on Eric avenue belonging to the Blood estate, has been leased to Mr. Bent of Boston, who will occupy as soon as the repairs are completed.

—The Monday Club meet this week at Miss Webster's. Miss Heloise E. Hersey, late Professor of English Literature at Smith College will lecture on Tolstoi at this meeting.

—Unknown parties broke open two freight cars in the freight yard of the Bos-ton & Albany Railroad Company in this place on Monday, and a quantity of carpen-ter's tools were stolen

—A domestic who has lately entered the employ of Mr. William Gleason, and who had been in the employ of a family where there was a case of measles, is now quite ill with the same, and max remain at Mr. Gleason's for the present.

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—Mr. Arlon Harris, whose death occurred on Thursday evening last, enlisted in the service of his country as a member of the 44th regiment, serving nine months, also serving fifteen months with a Rhode Island regiment. Thirteen years ago he moved his family and business from Upper Falls to the Highlands, carrying on a general express and teaming business, making himself one of our most useful citzens. He was a member of the Lancers for nine years, a delegation from which attended the funeral service which took place on Sunday afternoon. Many members of the G. A. R. were also present, contributing a beautiful floral design, and accompanied the funeral cortege to the Newton cemetery, where the interment took place.

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The daily Gospel meetings at the Congregational Church continue with unabated interest. Mr. Harriman has presented such subjects as "The Authenticity of the Bible," 'Relation of the Scriptures to Conscience," "What we Know about God," "The Nature, Value and Object of Faith," "Justification by Faith," themes adapted to thoughtful minds. The afternon service is a preaching service is a Bible-reading. The evening service is a preaching service, after which, such of the audience as choose, retire and an after meeting is held for Christian testimony and for personal confession of Christ. A choir adds efficiency in the evening, and this week Mr. R. F. True has also been present to ald the work by his heartfelt singing of gospel truths. Those who have given time and effort to these meetings have derived much benefit from this continuous presentation of Christian truths. Assistance has been rendered in the meetings by Rev. Mr. Holmes of Newton Centre, Rev. Mr. Herrick, Rev. Mr.Twombly of Brookline, H. M. Moore of Somerville, and others from outside this parish.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS

-Mr. Eugene Crandall is in New York this week on business. -Mrs. Charles Scott is in Mansfield, Mass., for a few days,

-Mrs. E. O. Brown is spending a few days with her sister at Weymouth.

—The mumps have made their appearance in our village, several of the children being afflicted with that difficulty. —The Quinobequin Association are talk ing of celebrating their twenty-first anni-versary on Friday evening, April 12.

The base ball club is trying to arange to play ball in the field opposite the trge boarding house, on Mechanic street.

—Mr. W. F. Stevens has severed his connection with the Fanning Printing Co., where he has been for a number of years. -Mrs. L. G. Wilson, a former resident of our village, who has been stopping for a time with Mrs. W. R. Dresser, returned to her home in North Grafton on Friday.

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—Mr. William Childs, who has been occupying a tenement on the Wheeler estate, removed with his family this week to Springfield, where he has accepted a situation.

—The social party given in Prospect Hall on Friday evening last, although small in numbers was thoroughly enjoyed by all. Newell's orchestra furnished the music.

—Preaching at the Methodist church Sunday morning at 10:30. Also preaching in the evening at 7 o'clock, subject, "A rescued City." A large delegation from this village attended the Union Love Feast at Newton Centre on Tuesday evening.

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—After a long and painful illness, Miss Hattle Easterbrook died at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. A. Smith, early Thursday morning. She was a general favorite; especially so among the young people of the village. For many years she was the popular and efficient clerk at the dry goods store of Mr. W. O. Colburn. She was of a very sunny, pleasant disposition, which was further tested during her last illness, as not a word of complaint escaped her lips, but although suffering severely she was still anxious to relieve others of their burdens and often expressed words of encouragement. Her loss will be greatly felt in the village. The funerel services will occur on Sunday at the home of her parents on Chestnut street.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—G. N. Smith speaks on the single tax at Lynn this Friday evening.

—A band of gypsies encamped near Grove street herald the approach of spring. —W. A. Leonard received an appoint-ment as regular police officer on Monday

There seems to be another long delay in the building of ournew bridge. Waiting for the iron work is the explanation at present.

present.

—C. H. Wiswall attended the third annual dinner of the Boston Paper trade at Hotel Brunswick on Wednesday evening.

—A very successful concert was held in the basement of St. John's church last Sunday evening for the purpose of raising money for the new organ. The choir, under the direction of Miss Annie Sullivan, assisted by friends from Upper Falls and Boston, presented a very entertaining program, which was heartly appreciated by the large audience present.

(For the GRAPHIC PROFIT SHARING.

Profit Sharing between Employer and Employee a Study in the Evolution of the Wages-Sys tem. By Nicholas Praine Gilman. I vol. i vo., pp. 460, Boston: Haughton, Millin & Co. London: MacMillan & Go.; §1.75.

London: MacMillan & Co.; \$1.75.

This book, written by a citizen of Newton, is likely to be read by the leading thinkers of Europe and America, and will, no doubt, be largely instrumental in bringing about the true solution of the great industrial problem of our age. It is the first comprehensive treatise on its subject in our language, and by its thoroughness, fairness, and force must command wide attention both from business men and from the students of econess men and from the students of eco

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Therefore, its issue tomorrow (March 23) from the press of Houghton, Mifflin & Co., is an event of interest to many people in our city by whom this review may be welcomed.

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Before publication, the work received the commendation of such men as Pres. Francis A. Walker, Prof. Richard T. Ely and Carroll D. Wright. Advance subscribers have almost wholly engaged the first edition, which indicates the interest it has aroused and the favor it may expect.

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The strength of the book lies chiefly in its facts; then, in the inductive reasoning of Mr. Gilman from the facts established.

The plan is admirable. The reader is first led to grasp the salient points of the present industrial system and to see the need of supplementing it by a better method, to secure the content of the laboring-class as well as the common advantage of the employer and employed.

Then, the experience of the whole body of profit-sharing is brought together, and conclusions drawn of irresistable weight. The facts are gathered from every source, at home and abroad, and are marshalled with great skill to form a wonderfully clear and systematic presentation. They lead, naturally, to the final argument in favor of the much more general adoption

to secure the highest benefit both to the

employer and employee?

The ground is now clear for the facts and the argument relating to profit sharing as the true supplement.

In six fascinating chapters, Mr. Gilman presents all known experience and his conclusions.

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First, the facts of the cases of a trial of profit sharing, now in operation, are carefully gleaned from books and from special reports in various languages, from the magazines, and from a large correspondence directly with many establishments and authorities on the subject.

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work of the author in this history and analysis of these instances of profit-sharing.

The story of Edme-Jean Leclaire, "the father of profit-sharing," is told with great appreciation of its dramatic interest and economic value. This chapter is invaluable either to the philosopher or to the man of affairs. Leclaire becomes, in Mr. Gilman's portraiture, a hero of modern industry, out-weighing in benefit to society many kings and statesmen who have dazzled the world. The story, though told many times by other pens, certainly never has been as well told as in this account. It is, as a lady said who took up the book by chance and read the chapter, "more interesting than a novel,—fascinating." This will help the book with the general reader, who may not wish to ponder every detail of all the experiments of the various initators of Leclaire.

The building of the house, "the Maison Leclaire," is described by combining a full biography of its founder with an orderly statement of the steps by which he achieved his great triumph. The "Maison Leclaire" of to-day, after forty-seven years of prosperous and harmonious existence, is presented as a model for a great many industrial enterprises, not necessarily in its details, but in its underlying principles—the union of interests of employer and employee, the fairness of the management, the reward of faithful service, the care of the workman in sickness or in old age, and in provision for their widows and children in event of death. It kevery perfection as a model is to an imitator almost discouraging, yet it serves as a high mark for any.

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Having proved the success of the principle of profit-sharing so far as the "Maison Leclaire" illustrates it, Mr. Gilman then in four subsequent chapters collates all the testimony from the various industries which have tried it—first, in several countries on the Continent, next, in England, and lastly, in the United States. This review is very elaborate and convincing. The experiments are described one by one with great fidelity of detail.

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Among the noted cases are the Cooperative Paper works at Angouleme, France, the Familistere at Guise, the famous Bon Marche in Paris with its 3000 employes, the Paris and Orleans Railway, the Whitwood Colleries of Briggs and Co., England, the London Publishing house of Cassel & Co., the Peace Dale, Woolen Mills of Rhode Island, and the Pillsbury Flour Mills at Minneapolis, Minn.

The logic of the testimony with the London Publishing house of Cassel & Co., the Peace Dale, Woolen Mills of Rhode Island, and the Pillsbury Flour Mills at Minneapolis, Minn.

The logic of the testimony is overwhelmingly in favor of its success and of its adaptability to a great many forms of industry.

All cases where profit-sharing has been tried, and then, for various reasons, abandoned, are next considered with remarkable fairness and thoroughness, and more fully, perhaps, than in the cases now in successful operation. The reasons for the abandonment are clearly a scertained and the proper value given to the experience. To clinch the nails already driven, the author, in chapter 9, has brought together in two tables the different items relating to every experiment, past or present; he also discusses in the ample text of the chapter every case, making a full summary and a clear analysis of the facts of are as ascertained. This is done in a judicial manner and is condensed to a wonderful degree.

In Table No. 1, "all cases [some 36] in which the system has been tried but is not now in force," are arranged in excellent form,—by countries, date, industry, number of employees, proportion of bonus, manner of payment, and cause of change.

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The causes are found to be due to a variety of reasons, some of which are lack of intelligence of the workmen, mistakes or poor management natural to beginners, and want of fair trial. The "personal equation" is quite a factor in the matter. The principle of the system is in nowise involved in any case of abandonnent. In fact some experiments were successes, but were given up on account of the death of the principal person, or or a similar reason. The cases of failure after a trial of the system long enough to produce its educational effects are only a small per centage of all the instances of abandonment.

Table II brings together, in invincible array, the "cases of profit-sharing now in operation." There are seven instances in which there has been more than a forty years' trial. One hundred and twenty-nine establishments have had at least two years' experience and now continue the system. France has in all 57 (37 over 10 years standing;) Switzerland, 10 of over 10 years; Germany, 15 of over 10 years; England, 1 of 10 years, and 7 of over 5 years; the United States presents 6 instances of a trial of 6 years or more, 24 of 2 years, and 2 of 1 year.

The logic of this chapter is irresistable

at home and abroad, and are marshalled with great skill to form a wonderfully clear and systematic presentation. They lead, naturally, to the final argument in favor of the much more general adoption of the principle.

In the introduction, the author discusses the industrial problem of modern civilization and proves the need of some method to bring about a better feeling and greater stability. Co-operation is thought to be impracticable at present.

The wages-system is inadequate, alone, to produce harmony between employer and employed, but forms a good basis for the higher system of profit sharing in addition to wages.

Chapter I. deals with the primitive and somewhat fundamental method of 'Product Sharing,' as practiced in agriculture, in the fisheries, and in mining. The facts prove that dividing the product in these industries conduces greatly to the efficiency of labor and to the harmony between the parties concerned. However, the method is limited in its adaptability at ties.

Then follows in Chapter II., a careful consideration of the 'wages-system in its various forms;' this is a striking summary of its advantages and disadvantages.

The author allows, with great candor, the good in the system and does not at all deep the benefits which may arise from the use of any of its modifications, such as time wages, piece-work, quality prizes, percentage on sales, economy prizes, the siding scale, or interest in the business, and must arise from the siding scale, or interest in the business, and my one of them as a special remedy, insufficient to reconcile the antagonisms which arise and must arise from the system. What supplement shall be given

one or even several from the abundant testimony would be unsatisfactory. Enough, if this description of the contents of the book prepares the reader to secure and enjoy a volume for himself. The conscientious and laborious work of Mr. Gilman cannot but bear fruit. This will be especially true in this country and in England, in both of which the book must create a profound impression and become the standard work on the subject. The style is easy, direct, and vigorous; the diction is remarkably pure and elegant; the arrangement of material is simple and systematic; the index unusually elaborate and convenient; and the whole book has unity, order, and strength in every part. It is one of the few which, as Bacon said, "are to be digested." By it, the author has honored his adopted city, and, in turn, he deserves the honor of its appreciation, that "a prophet" may not "be without honor save in his own country."

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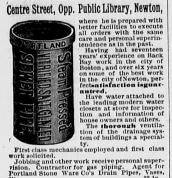
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NEWTON.

—Miss Nellie Fewkes is here on a short visit from Mt. Vernon, N. H, —Mr. George R. Ashton has gone to New Hampshire on a business trip.

-Mr. and Mrs. Judkins gave a very p'easant card party Tuesday evening.

—Professor Townsend occupied the pulpit in the Eliot church last Sunday and de-livered two interesting addresses.

—Mr. H. W. Crowell has nearly recovered from his recent accident and is now able to attend to business as usual. —Mrs. S. C. Allison has sold her house on California street, through Mr. Charles F. Rands' Agency, to Mrs. Anna E. Smith.

-W. B. Beal has put on a double team for work between Newton and Boston, and is now ready to draw any heavy freight.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Wright, who have been visiting in Newton for some time, re-turned on Monday to their home in Den-

-Mr. Silas W. Merrill has sold the estate formerly owned by the late John Q. Henry on Eldridge street, to a gentleman from

—Mrs. J. B. Hill has sold her residence on Etheridge street to Mr. W. W. Jacques of Elmwood street, who will take possession the first of May.

—Mr. H. C. Daniels has taken the contract for the delivery of the library books, which is a guarantee that the work will be satisfactorily done.

The cards are out for the marriage of Miss Katherine T. Hatch to Mr. Walter H. Holbrook, at Channing church, 'Monday evening, April 8, at 7.30 o'clock.

evening, April 8, at 7.39 o'clock.

—Mr. George H. Dupee, who has purchased the Atwood Market, has refitted it in fine style, and calls attention to the many attractions he offers, in another column.

—The watering carts will probably start up April 1st, as the appropriation for them has passed the city of the collection of the collection of the collection of the subscriptions from citizens.

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—Frank Ritchie, one of the shoemakers employed by Mr. A. L. Rhynd, had the misfortune to lose the middle finger of his left hand, Thursday, by catching it in the rolling machine. It was taken off at the second joint and the hand was dressed by Dr. Frisbie.

TLafayette Lodge, LO.O.F., of Water-town, initiated twelve members Tuesday evening, and the attendance was so large that Town Hall was used for the exercises. Many Odd Felllows were present from Newton.

The Newton post-office was inspected Thursday by Inspector Rogers of Washing ton, who found everything in excellent shape. He said that Newton had a first-class post-office and a postmaster who knew how to run it.

—The degree staff of Waban Lodge, I. O. O. F., conferred the second and third degree upon several candidates last evening. At the conclusion of the ceremonies the brothers adjourned to the banquet hall, where a supper was served.

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—The ladies will be pleased to know that Mrs. Woods' spring opening will occur next Tuesday and Wednesday. As usual this will be an event of interest as she spares no pains to make her openings attractive, and is always pleased to show her fine stock of millinery, pattern hats and bonnets, and the latest novelties.

—Special Officer Burrill of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, has been here interviewing the parties concerned in the alleged cruel killing of a cat on March 13th, and the case is being fully investigated by Messrs Currier and Burrill. They have had the assistance of Officer Henthorne.

—Mr. S. M. Sayford has improved the

—Mr. S. M. Sayford has improved the opportunity afforded him in his sojourn in the South the past two winters, and has collected the sayings and doings of the Southern negro. He has taken notes and has a full supply of characteristic sketches from life, which it is hoped he may be induced to open to our public on his return in April next.

April next.

—A representative of our contemporary has said that since the article published in last week's Graphic which alluded to tlepost office candidates, Mr. George H. Fratt has received a vast number of letters urging him to try for the appointment. This is indisputable evidence of the large and increasing circulation of the Graphic, which is read in all parts of the city.

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—Since the election of Capt, George C. Applin to the command of company C, 5th regiment, M.V.M., 19 men have been discharged and 23 mustered in. The company is now being drilled three times a week, and will go to Washington with as well drilled men as any component part of the 5th regiment. The 5th Regiment willmake a creditable showing, and the citizens will have reason to feel proud of the appearance and military deportment of the Newton company.

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—The concert to be given at the Baptist church next Thursday evening promises to be one of rare excellence. Mr. Goodrich will have the assistance of Miss Sadie L. Hollingsworth, soprano, Mr. Geo. C. Gow, baritone, and the Amphion Male Quartet. The program will include Abt's Ave Maria, quartet and soprano obligato, and aria from Ellijah, and a Grieg song by Mr. Gow, and the introduction to the 3rd act of "Die Meistersinger," and a rhapsodie by St. Saens for organ. Tickets may be obtained at Hubbard & Procter's.

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"The next vesper service at the Channing church will take place next Synday evening, March 31, at 7.30 o'clock. The following musical selections will be used: Organ prelude "Andante in F." Otto Dienel; anthem, "O Thou that hearest prayer," G. W. Chadwick; anthem, "Jerusalem, the golden!" A. Rubinstein; anthem, "Calvary," Paul Rodney; offertory, "Chorus of Angels," Sectson Clark; anthem, "Tantum Ergo," Rossi; organ postlade, Offertoire in C, Alex. Leprevoxt. Seats free in the evening—all are cordially invited.

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—The Republican ward and city commit tee held a meeting March 28th, and organized as follows: Chairman, C. Bowditch Coffin: Secretary, Harvey C. Wood; Treasurer, James T. Allen. Executive committee, Ward 1, E. B. Coffin; Ward 2, H. V. Pinkham; Ward 3, J. T. Allen; Ward 4, W. B. Atherton; Ward 5, M. G. Crane; Ward 6, E. T. Colburn; Ward 7, L. A. Hall. Finance committee, Ward 1, H. W. Kendal; Ward 2, J. F. Payne; Ward 3, H. C. Wood; Ward 4, C. H. Johnson; Ward 5, Willard Marcy; Ward 5, E. H. Gardiner; Ward 7, Kirke W. Hobart.

—The members of Nonantum Colony, Pil-

Kirke W. Hobart.

—The members of Nonantum Colony, Pilgrim Fathers, held an enjoyable basket
party in Cole's hall, Monday evening about
50 being present. The baskets were sold at
auction and brought prices ranging from
45 cents to St. Mr. Prescott bought the
last basket, which contained Belva Lockwood's card, the distinguished lady whe m
he was supposed to escort to supper. She
was unavoidably prevented from being
present, and Mr. Prescott therefore escorted a charming young lady who may yet be a
candidate for president of the United
States.

The next meeting of the Newton tural History Society will be on next dnesday evening, at 7.30, in Foom 4,

Eliot block. Besides the exhibition of specimens, and a notice of an interesting foreign scientific circular received, the principal topic for the evening will be "A Trip to St. Andrew, New Brunswick," by Dr. J. F. Frisbie, one of the originators, the long-time president, and always the indefatigable friend of the society, and worker for it. Descriptions of new scenes by an eye-witness, are always attractive, and we therefore hope for and expect a full audience of members and their friends to hear of the mountains, rocks, forests, people and doings of our neighbor province.

KNIGHTS OF HONOR.

THE UNION MEETING OF TWO NEWTON

The union meeting of Eliot lodge and Garden City lodge, Knights of Honor, Tuesday evening, was a very successful one and brought together representatives of thirty lodges from Boston and the surrounding towns, and Masonic hall was filled with a very enthusiastic assemblage. Dictator E. W. Bailey presided and welcomed the visitors in behalf of the two Nawton lodges giving. assemblage. Dictator E. W. Bailey presided and welcomed the visitors in behalf of the two Newton lodges, giving out as the subject of the addresses "Why I am a Knight of Honor." He first ingtroduced Grand Dictator A. G. Hill of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, after whom Mr. J. Warren Smith, chairman of the committee on lodge visitation, Vicc-Dictator Brown of Wollaston, Past Dictator Small of Highland lodge, the secretary of the committee on lodge visitation: Past Grand Dictator Adam Warnock of New York, the representative to the grand lodge, and Grand Reporter Eaton of the grand lodge and brief addresses, in which many interesting facts were brought out. Eliot lodge has contributed \$18,216.50 to widows and orphans, since its formation, and of this sum \$8,000 has been returned to widows of members. \$616.50 has also been paid out in sick benefits. Garden City lodge had given \$10,699.16 and had received back \$49,000, and had paid out \$249 in sick benefits. From this it will be seen that the Newton lodges have received back nearly as much as they have paid out.

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Since the formation of the Knights of Honor, some 16 years ago, \$26,000,000 has been paid out in death benefits by the order, and this sum represents the saving of a great amount of suffering among those who have been bereaved of the bread-winner.

Grand Feporter Eaton made one of the best speeches of the evening, in which he said that he did not regard the assessments as so much insurance premium, but rather as contributions to humanity, all but a very small fraction, about one per cent, going to some bereaved family, and so the Knights were doing a great charitable work. The order my well of proud of the grand work they have been doing, and he hoped the work would be still farther increased and many others be induced to share in its benefits, and make preparation for their families.

The speeches were interspersed with humorous recitations by Prof. Ryersor, xylophone and piecolo solos by Mr. Hobart, accompanied on the piano by Mr. Mann.

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ment.
After dinner speeches were given by Grand Guardian Richardson, District Deputy Nolan, Past Directors Hearty and Eaton, A. S. Bryant, L. E. G. Green, J. T. Bailey, James O. Winn, Prof. Ryerson, Mr. C. D. Cabot and others. The grand officers present were Grand Dictator A. G. Hill, Grand Vice-Dictator Brown, Past Grand Dictator Pratt, Grand Reporter Eaton, Grand Treasurer Burnham, Grand Guardian Richardson and Grand Sentinel Pinney.

During the exercises the case of a knight who was in need of assistance and disabled by illness was reported, and a collection was taken up, the sum of \$46.33 being realized. The affair was a great success, and the details were carefully planned by Mr. E. W. Bailey, who was assisted by a committee of the two Newton lodges, consisting of Messrs, L. E. G. Green, George F. Williams, I. B. Harrington, E. T. Wiswall and E. W. Vose.

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Mr. Powers' Remarkable Silence.

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To the Editor of the Graphic:
My attention has been called to an editorial in the last issue of the Graphic in which it is asserted that there is a rumor that Mr. Geo. H. Pratt, the editor of the Newton Journal, is an applicant for the position of postmaster of Newton, and that he is endorsed by me. The fair inference of the editorial referred to is, that I am using such influence as I may have up on Congressman Candler in favor of the application of Mr. Pratt.

ing such influence as I may have a sprication of Mr. Pratt.

I desire to say in reply that I have never exchanged a word with Mr. Pratt concerning the position of pestmaster in Newton, nor had I heard until I saw the article in your paper, that Mr. Pratt was an applicant for any position under the present administration.

I desire to say further that I have never exchanged a word with Mr. Candler in favor of the appointment of any person to the office now held by Mr. Morgan.

SAM*LL. POWERS

Woman's Relief Corps.

Woman's Relief Cerps.

The regular meeting of the organization met in Masunic Hail on Thursday aftermeen, the president in the chair. The committee on Soldiers' Home reported articles needed in the Newton room and a necessary supply was voted. The employment committee made an excellent report, on the work done by them in securing labor for the unemployed. The president of the sewing circle reported a large amount of work done. An exceedingly interesting report was rendered by the different relief committees and two new families were added to the list.

An Interesting Anniversary

The Parish Guild of Grace Church will celebrate its anniversary on the coming Sunday night. There will be appropriate music and two addresses; one by Mr. Herman Page of Cambridge and the other by Mr. A. B. Shields of Newton Lower Falls. The seats in the church are free to every one.

HIGH WATER SERVICE.

To the Honorable the City Council of the City of

The Water Board to whom was referred the petition of Leverett Saltonstall and others for a "High Water Service" re-

spectfully report as follows:

An examination of the petition, the signatures thereto and the endorsements thereon, shows that the question sub-mitted to the Water Board for their consideration and report is a somewhat narrow one, being simply how to furnish an additional supply of water to certain citizens living in that part of the City of Newton ordinarily called Chestnut Hill. There are, however, other sections of the City than Chestnut Hill which would be greatly benefited by a High Water Service and as this fact was well known to the members of the City Council at the time of the reference of the petition under consideration. He Board have been

der consideration, the Board have been the cloth of the board in the state of the control of the board should consider the question of High Services and its bearings and not like the state of the control of the contr

Since that time the meter system has been introduced and has, undcubredly, reduced the amount of water was ted. The seasons of 1887 and 1888 were noti-worthy by reason of the amount of rain; fall during what are ordinarily the dry months of the year. The water supply, consequently, during the last two seasons has not been put to a trial. If, however, we should have a dry season, the daily consumption would now, undoubtedly, much exceed 1,990,900 gallons. It can be easily seen, therefore, should such a rate of consumption last for any considerable period, that the reserve supply in the reservoir, which is efficiently not over five or six million gallons, would be soon exhausted and a restriction would necessarily be placed upon the consumption of water by the citizens.

Some time ago, the Board caused investigations to be made as to the best method of protecting our present supply. These investigations, authough satisfactory, were very meagre, and the Board do not feel that they have facts enough in their possession upon which to base a recommendation. They therefore have

factory, were very meagre, and the Board do not feel that they have facts enough in their possession upon which to base a recommendation. They therefore have decided to ask your Honorable Body to make an appropriation for the purpose of making further investigations. They would also recommend that steps be taken to secure authority from the Leg, islature to obtain an additional supply of water not exceeding 5,000,000 gallons in 24 hours, and the Board would inform the City Council that a petition has already been filed, with the Legislature asking for such legislation. This action was taken, as the introduction of new business was prohibited after the 6th day of February, and if the petition had not been filed before that date, no action could have been taken nntil next, year. The Board would, therefore, request that such action be ratified by the City Council If, in its judgment, it see fit to adopt the recommendations of the Board herein contained, and would also recommend the adoption of the accompaning orders.

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CITY GOVERNMENT.

GRADE CROSSINGS, HIGH WATER SERVICE AND THE STREET RAILWAY REPORT.

The Board of Aldermen met in special session Monday evening, with Mayor Burr in the chair. All the members were present except Alderman Child.

GRADE CROSSINGS

Mayor Burr read a message to the board explaining the reason for the special session, which called attention to the fact that the railroad committee of the legislature was to have a hearing on the subject of abolishing grade crossings, and as the matter was one of great im-portance to Newton, and would probably be up for consideration most of the year, ommended that a joint standing committee be appointed to investigate the whole subject and take it under con-

Alderman Tolman reported an order that the Mayor should appoint two alder-men, who, with such members as the Common Council should add, should consider the matter of grade crossings and report at an early day such recom-mendations as they should deem proper. FIREMEN

Mayor Burr appointed John McMahon hoseman of No. 3 Engine, to fill a vacancy and Charles A. Peck was granted an honorable discharge from the same com-

pany.
Residents asked for a street lamp on the corner of Lincoln and Woodward streets, Newton Highlands; referred.

SPECIAL ELECTION.

Alderman Pettee presented an order for the issuing of a warrant for the special election in regard to the Prohibitory Constitutional Amendment, April 22d, and the same was passed and ordered printed.

Another order was passed establishing the same polling places as in the last election.

GRAND ARMY.

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The free use of the City Hall, for April 15th, was granted to Charles Ward Post, G. A. R., for a public meeting in reference to a Memorial Hall in Newton.

H. F. Ross was granted a permit to erect a brick building 40 by 55, for mechanical purposes, in the rear of Mrs. Williams' store, Newtonville.

Charles Dickens was granted a permit to erect a barn between Brookline and Dedham streets

William O. Knapp was granted a permit to erect a private stable on Warren street, 22 by 30 feet.

On motion of Alderman Harbach, an order was passed for the grading, construction and concreting of sidewalks, with edgestones, on Temple street, Ward 3.

3.
Charles Dickens gave notice of intention to erect a house on Brookline and Dedham streets; Wm. O. Knapp, house on Warren street; Curtis Abbot, house on Edinboro street; Frank Eaton, two houses and Morein treet. on Margin street.

LIQUOR LICENSES.

Applications for 6th class liquor licenses were received from all the druggists of the city and were referred to the license committee, and ordered published, one-half in each Newton paper.

THE STREET RAILWAY.

Alderman Harbach presented an order granting the Newton Street Railway Gompany the locations named in their petition, and the right to run electric wires, on poles of hard pine, which must be 25 feet long, and 5 feet in the ground, and the overhead wire to be at least 20 feet above the level of the street, the poles to be properly trimmed and painted.

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The order was laid on the table, on motion of Alderman Tolman, in order that the board might ascertain whether the company intended to go at once about the work of building the road or whether they would let the matter lay over, as was done under the former petition, and also for some guarantee that the work of construction should be properly done. If the company give satisfactory assurances that they mean business, there will probably be no opposition to the passing of the order.

Miner Robinson was granted a permit to run a private telephone wire on Highland street.

OTHER MATTERS.

Residents on Lincoln street asked for stone cross walk across Washington street.

An arc electric light was asked for on the corner of Crafts and California streets and street lamps were asked for on Grove Hill Park.

DIVIDING WARDS.

Alderman Pettee presented an order, but in the absence of Alderman Childs, he moved that it be tabled, for a revised division of the wards, establishing two polling places in Ward Two and Ward Five, and only one in the other wards, the dividing lines in the two wards to be the same as recommended in their previous report.

CITY WATER.

An order was received from the com-mon council authorizing the water board to petition the legislature for authority to increase the water supply to 5,000,000 gallons a day. Alderman Tolman moved that the Mayor be substituted for the water board

Alderman Pettee said that as he understood the matter, according to the public statutes, notice must be given early in December, and that the present legislalature could not act upon any such petition. As he understood it, the petition must be sent in two weeks before the first of January, so that due notice might be given to manufacturing companies. first of January, so that due notice might be given to manufacturing companies that used water from the same source. He did not understand why the order was sent in, and he hoped the city of Newton would not go to the State House with an order, simply to be told to go back home again.

Mayor Burr read from the public statutes the provision that an application for an increase in the use of water must be advertised at least two weeks before the assembling of the legislature.

advertised at least two weeks before the assembling of the legislature. Alderman Kennedy moved that the or-der lay on the table until the law in the case might looked up, and this motion passed.

The Common Conneil.

In the common council, resolutions on the death of the late Isaac Hagar were passed by a rising vote, and orders were passed in concurrence, establishing the number of patrolmen in the police department at 22; authorizing the exchange of parcels of land on California street:

authorizing the city treasurer to sell \$12, 000 4 per cent water bonds: fixing the date of hearings on laying out of Ballard street for April 15 and May 13; appropri-

ating \$35,100 for city expenses for April.

The order appropriating \$9,000 for purchase of land for a schoolhouse site on Phipps court and Walnut street was referred to the committee on finance.

Councilman Fenno presented a petition from J. B. Parker and others for street lights on Lake avenue, Beaumont and Hull streets, also a petition from J. O. Smith and ten others for an arc light on California street. Both petitions re-ferred to the committee on street lights. A petition from residents of Ward 3 for a concrete or stone walk opposite Shaw street and extending across Washington was referred to the committee on highways.

Councilman Falknall presented a petition which was referred to the commit-tee on highways calling attention to the condition of Faxon street, Ward 1, and requesting that said street be restored to requesting that said street be restored to a condition ensuring safety and convenience, by repairing the road bed and extending the sidewalks.

Councilman Wiswall for the water, board presented the report relative to high services, which will be found in another column.

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An order was offered by Councilman Wiswall, authorizing the water board to execute plans for the proposed high service sytem at a cost not to exceed \$90.000, the expense of same to be charged to the water construction account.

Councilman Fenno said that he did not feel qualified to vote on the order. He did not desire to place himself on record as being opposed to it, but he desired more time for consideration and therefore moved that the order be laid on the table.

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Counciman Wiswall stated that the water board had spent a great deal of time in considering the high service question and had presented its report and recommendations after careful study of the matter. It was important that the order pass both boards at once.

Further discussion was ruled out of order and the motion to lay on the table was put by the chair and carried.

Councilman Wiswall offered an order anthorizing the water board to petition legislature to allow the city to increase its water supply to an amount not exceeding five million gallons in 24 hours.

Counciman Hale said that the orders from the water board would involve an outlay of \$100,000 or more and that the would be unwise to authorize so large an expenditure, possessing little knowledge of the necessity for the outlay. We are of course, fully aware that a high service system or something that will give water privileges to residents of that locality is needed, but there is danger in passing an order too quickly. It would be better to possess more of the details before voting.

Councilman Hamblen stated that the

The control of the water board to be distributed to members of the council of the

Papers from the board of aldermen rapers from the board of adeemen were passed in concurrence, after which a recess was taken. Upon reassembling, on motion of Councilman Fenno, it was voted to take the high service order from the table, and City Engineer Noyes was requested to explain some of the details of the plan to the members of the coun-cil

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Councilman Hale asked for details of the plan and Mr. Noyes said that it was proposed to put a stand-pipe on Institution Hill, which would be 360 feet above tide-water, and one of the highest points in the city. This would give a water service to any house, no matter on how high land it was built, and the service would be operative over the whole city, and would benefit Mt. Ida. Nonantum Hill, Oak Hill, Bald Pate, Chestnut Hill, West Newton Hill, and other elevations. It would add greatly to the efficiency of the fire service. Bald Pate was the highest hill, 317 feet, and Waban 313 feet. Institution hill, being midway of the elevations in the city, was the most advantageous place for a standpipe. The service would be complete for all time.

In regard to the number of persons to be benefited by high service, Councilman Luke read from the Mayor's address where full statistics are given, 180 persons are wholly without water, and more than double that number have only a partial service.

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Mr. Noyes stated that the pipes were strong enough to take care of the increased pressure, although the old service pipes might need to be renewed. Many of them were being changed at present. The \$90,000 would cover cost of the necessary changes at the pumping station, the land required for the tower, from one third to an acre of ground, and the connections to make the two systems interchangeable.

Councilman Wiswall stated that there were complaints of the Chief of Fire Department about insufficient service on the higher parts of the city, and the high service would remedy all this, and give efficient service on the highest parts of the city.

Councilman Luke said he was satisfied that a high service was urgently needed, and remember the contractions.

Councilman Luke said he was satisfied that a high service was urgently needed, and was ready to vote for the order. The people on the higher lands were estitled to it.

Councilman Fenno also endorsed the order, after the explanation that had been made.

Councilman Hamblin said he did not wish to say anything against the stand-

been made.
Councilman Hamblin said he did not wish to say anything against the standpipe, or the need of a high service, but thought that the board and the citizens generally would feel better if the opinion of an expert was secured, as to the practicability of the plan.
Councilman Wiswall said that this had no connection with the order; it was a matter of detail which could be attended to later. It might be a good idea to have every one satisfied.
Councilman Hamblen said he did not wish to reflect upon Engineer Noyes, or any other official, but when \$90,000 was to be expended, he thought that it was only prudent on the part of the council to get an expert opinion as to whether the plan would answer all requirements, and was the best one that could be obtained. He introduced the following amendment:

been a source of prosperity and a material faction in the development of the country.

[Applause.]

Mr. W. E. Plummer said that the restriction of immigration was contrary to the principles of the American form of government. Irishmen come here because they cannot love under a state of despotism, and Germans come here because they cannot own their homes in their own country. They bring with them energy for toil, and gradually become good and respectable citizens. Every man in this country to-day is more or less a foreigner, and through the infusion of the blood of all nationalities the country has developed rapidly and the people have been prosperous and content-ed. [Applause.]

The discussion was continued by Mr. W. E. Sheldon and others. On motion of Mr. Plummer, a vote of thanks was extended to President Wood and the officers of the lycum for the interesting and instructive series of meetings this season.

for watering the streets of the city from April 1st to October 1st, and that not more than \$50 be paid to each cart, and that the citizens raise an equal amount.

There was some allusion to the difficult and sometimes unpleasant work of securing subscriptions, but it is hoped that people will be different this year.

The common council then adjourned.

WEST NEWTON LYCEUM.

A GREAT SUCCESS.

The closing meeting of the season of the West Newton Lyceum brought out a large gathering of ladies and gentlemen and it may be said to be one of the most interesting and entertaining meetings of the winter The musical features were especially enjoyable, comprising violin numbers by Mr. Joseph Goldstein of the Boston Symphony orchestra, who rendered "Romanza Andaluza," Sarasate; "Souvenir de Dieppe," Goldstein; "Mazurka," Wienawski. His technique evidences true artistic ability and his playing denoted musical feeling and conception. Frequent encores demonstrated the approval of the audiences, the young artist being the recipient of a most ing and entertaining meetings of the oung artist being the recipient of a mos flattering reception.

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The lecture on "Some things Newton might have," was delivered by Rev. N. P. Gilman. He afluded to the postal delivery facilities and suggested a plan that would ensure the delivery of mail matter to all points in the city by the free delivery system. In order to accomplish that, said the speaker, the people must be united in the perfection of a plan that would bring about the desired result. must be united in the perfection of a plan that would bring about the desired result without regard to the loss of a postoffice in this village or some other. In this city there is an apparent lack of the united spirit which should prompt efforts for the good of the community as a whole, the result of district village preference of a selfish character.

We have a free public library of which we may well feel proud, but a system of book delivery that is a certainly a one-horse arrangement. It is certainly a nuisance to be obliged to wait for our books after the eards have been presented, until

after the eards have been presented, until the following day, and it is an absurd arrangement for a city that prides itself on its possession of modern conveniences. In common with some things. Newton might have, I would include the city's ownership of its own electric light plant. It is no more difficult to supply light than water and the is on good earlied to supply light than water and the is no good earlied to the stable that the supply light than water and the is no good earlied to the stable that the cycless of the citizens. In my opinion the rights of public transportation and streetlighting should never be surrendered to private parties unless they are willing to pay a round sum for the privileges.

The most pertinent thought which comes to me in considering some things Newton might have is connected with the public spirit and benevolence of our wealthy eitzens. I would ask where is the hospital that has been ilberally endowed, the industrial training school that has been established through the benevolence of our weathy men? The reason that these and similar public institutions have not been assisted by those who could afford to give a subject of the common good of all of our own citizens, and the record of our rich men is not one to be proud of in this respect.

What we need is an association that shall have for its object the welfare and development of Newton as a whole, an association out of politics, aiming to promote the intellectual and social welfare of the whole city. I would recommend the organization of such an organization and the holding of meetings under its auspices in the various villages of the city, when the meds of each locality could be considered and the proper steps taken to secure improvements that would benefit the people as a whole.

That inmigration into the United States should be restricted," was opened in the eaffirmative by Mr. E. B. Drew. The speaker said that the immigration of the affirmative by Mr. E. B. Drew. The speak of the proper steps that how the proper steps that

ments, and was the best one that could be obtained. He introduced the following amendment:

"Provided, That before taking astion the water board engage an expert to look into the matter, and a favorable report is received from him."

The amendment was adopted and the order as amended passed.

An order passed appropriating \$5,000 for the preliminary work of increasing and protecting the water supply of the city.

WATERING STREETS.

An order passed appropriating \$6550

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(Written for the GRAPHIC.) OUR FORESTS.

Every lover of trees must have noticed with pleasure the resolutions of the Newton Horticultural Society, published in the GRAPHIC of March 15. The following words occur in one place; "Not only are certain districts thus robbed by the axe of the logger of their chief attraction to lovers of natural scenery, but the value of the streams which take their rise among them, for manufacturing purposes, is seriously impaired, not only by droughts but by the inundations thereby produced." A few words explanatory of this passage and of the other uses of trees may be of interest to some who may not have had the same time and opportunity to study the subject as the Every lover of trees must have noticed portunity to study the subject as the members of this society. At first thought the forests seem to

serve but two ends; their beauty forms a never failing source of joy and sug-gestiveness, and the material obtained from them answers to a thousand needs. Spencer's delight in

The sayling pine; the cedar stought and tall; ne vine-propp eim; the poplar never dry; ne builder oak, sole king of forests all; ne aspine, good for staves; the cypresse funerall;

laurell meed of mightie conquerours poets sage; the firre that weepeth stille; willow, worne of forlorn paramours; eugh, obedient to the benders will,"

down to Bryant's love for "God's first temples," the poets have not failed to find a fruitful theme in the woods. Architecture has drawn its finest forms from the trees; witness the strength of the Doric column, the grace of the Ionic, the beauty of the Corinthian. Are not the forests the suggestors of the art structure studied the method by which trees defy the wind. The stately row of elms on Institution Hill at Newton Centre furnish several very fine examples of the manner in which trees brace themselves against the force of the elements.

Merely to enumerate the uses of the forests as lumber would fill a volume. In spite of the substitution of coal as fuel, and of stone and iron as building materials, the consumption of wood is constantly increasing; and it is not a matter for merely passing remonstrance that the world's store of wood is act-

ually becoming less every year.

But the forest serves many purposes other than as a creator of joy and beauty, and as a store-house whence man can provide himself with shelter, tools, and conveyances. Its effect upon the climate is very great, though not yet accurately determined. Extensive forests in any country makes the climate more equitable than it would be without them. Their most evident influence is as a barrier to the wind. By interposing a shield between the earth and the open air they prevent the excessive heating of the ground in summer. The snow in winter, shelters from the wind and the sun, forms a warm covering that unquestionably lessens the severity of the cold, not only in the forest itself but in the adjoining districts. It has been claimed that large tracts of woodland in some way cause an increased rainfall, and that if rainless districts could gradually be afforested the supply of water from the air would no longer fail. But even if the forest does not increase the total annual precipitation, there can be no doubt that it causes rain to fall at more frequent intervals, though in smaller quantities; and acts as a storehouse preventing its rapid evaporation, its almost immediate decent to the sea through the rivers. But of this we shall speak again.

Avalanches are unknown here and landslides are not common, but the dwellers on the slopes of the Alps, the Apennines, and the Pyrenees, have learned to dread them as we dread a pestilence or an earthquake. It would never perhaps have been known that the forests could prevent such disasters, had not observers noticed that the districts which suffered most were those where the upper slopes of the mountains had been stripped of their trees. Government care and private enterprise are now striving to undo the mischief of the past and cover the bare slopes once more with the preserving forests. In some cases the experiment has succeeded beyond hope and the dwellers in the valleys gazing up at the young wood covering the mountain sides feel secure; bu

ly yesterday are dry and bare to-day; but the rain in the woods is largely in the woods yet. For weeks the forest-fed streams receive a moderate accession to their stores; for weeks the springs miles below are fed by subterranean rivulets whose sources are in the subsoil of the forest. The action of the summer rain is similar; the woodland in this way prevents the sudden rushing of the water to thesea; it is like a great reservoir receiving freely any unusual amount of moisture to distribute it afterwards in regular and temperate supply. But let the lumbermen fell these woods and how soon the wind, the plough, and the fire remove the carpet of leaves. The roots die and the channels by which the water sank deep into the earth are clogged; as a direct result of this, springs far distant suddenly fail, and no one can give a reason. The winds sweep over the deserted region and the frosts harden the soil into adamant. Spring and autum floods alternate with summer droughts.

The use of the forest as the material for building leads to its destruction; the use of the forest as a prevention of floods and droughts and as a tempering influence upon climate, should lead to its care and preservation. At another time we may present some consideration to show how the two tendencies, destructive and preservative, must be made to work together.

GEN. WILLIAM STOWELL TILTON.

GEN. WILLIAM STOWELL TILTON.

Gen. William Stowell Tilton died at his residence on Walnut street, New-tonville, last Saturday morning. The deceased was the seventh of eight sons of the late Stephen Tilton, and was born at Newburyport, Mass., Feb. 1, 1828. His father transferred his business to Boston, not the forests the suggestors of the art that give us Westminster? The storms of the Atlantic beat in vain upon the infinite strength of the Eddystone Lighthouse; but the builder of that structure studied the method by which of the late Charles Wilkins on Long wharf, and there remained until he form ed, with Edward T. Russell, a fellow clerk, a copartnership under the firm name of Russell & Tilton, and the young men located their office upon T wharf and engaged in a business with the Brit-ish Provinces. Later General Tilton ish Provinces. Later General Tilton went into his father's store on Central wharf, and remained there until the out-break of the war. When the late Henry Wilson organized

When the late Henry Wilson organized the Twenty-second Massac neetts Regi ment young Milton received a commis-sion as its Major, and as such went to the front. He was seriously wounded,

materials, the consumption of wood is not matter for merely passing remonstruct at the world's store of wood is act the property of the proper

ed those qualities which demonstrate the true soldier. As the governor of the Soldier's Home at Togus, Me., he brought out of the institution order and beauty, and builded a home where the very men who fought by his side in the civil war, perhaps in his own command, could find a place where they could be cared for in their declining days. He was charitable and benevolent, possessing rare conversational powers and keen common sense. But what eulogy could I pronounce that would speak more eloquently than this gathering here today. To the bereaved family I would picture the angels of mercy and hope. Memory preserves and retains the beautiful things in life which becomes glorified with the flight of time until the ideal life alone remains. Hope points to tlat reunion beyond which is as sure as God. The cords broken here shall be rewelded when we are finally brought into the higher life, At the conclusion of the address, the Temple Quartet rendered the selection, "Gathering homeward one by one."

At the conclusion of the services the cornetist and bugler of the Loyal Legion rendered "The Lost Chord" and "Taps." The floral tributes were beautiful, and included a crown with the word "comrade" in immortelies from the 2d Mass. Sharp-shooters, a Maltese cross, the 5th corps badgel from the 22d Mass. Regiment Association, and other exquisite floral tributes from relatives and friends. The remains were interred in the family lot at Mt. Auburn. The pall-bearers were Gen. Thomas Sherwin, Col. Augustus P, Martin, Col. Joseph W, Gelray, Col. Henry Stone, Col. James M, Ellis, Col. Arnold A, Rand, Capt. Charles B, Fillebrown, Capt. J. H. Symonds, Capt. John P. Crane, Lieut. S. Alonzo Ranlett. Many prominent citizens attended the services in the church, and Charles Ward post 62 was represented by its commander, Mr. S. S. Whitney, and Senior Vice-Commander Sweetland. In the square at Newtonville the members of delegations present formed in paralle lines and stood with uncovered heads while the cortege passed by. At the grave the e

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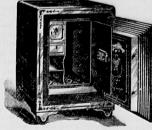
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HIGH WATER SERVICE.

The report of the Water Board, in regard to a high service supply, is a very important document and will be read with great interest. The Board has with great interest. The Board has given a good deal of study to the ques-tion, examined several systems and rec-ommended one which it feels sure will answer every purpose and will give all parts of Newton a sufficient water supply even on the highest elevations. The cost of the proposed system, \$90,000, is moderate, compared with the great amount of territory to be served, and the stand pipe system is generally regarded as the most feasible and least expensive way of meeting the difficulty complained of at Chestnut Hill.

Chestnut Hill.

This proposed system will increase the pressure all over the city, and give an abundant supply for domestic and fire purposes on such important elevations as Brighton Hill. Mt. Ida and the hills a t West Newton and Auburndale, where for fire purposes the supply is now insuffi-cient. The location on Institution Hill is the most favorable one that could be chosen for effective service, as that elevation is about in the centre of the territory to be covered, with Oak Hill on

one side and Chestnut Hill on the other, and in this respect is much preferable to Waban Hill, which is at one side of the city and the pressure at Oak Hill, for instance, would be much less than that at Chestnut Hill.

The plan proposed is the carrying out of the idea of the first water commission, which was that the Waban Hill reservoir would answer for a number of years, until the higher parts of the city were built upon and then another reservoir or a stand pipe could be put up. To have built one in the first place would have involved more expense than was war-ranted by the few people who would have been benefitted, but the time has now certainly come for this improvement, as was shown by the petition from Chestnut Hill, and by Mayor Burr's in-

augural address. As there is no doubt that the high service is needed, it is desirable that prompt action should be taken at once so that the system may be inaugurated this year. There is a great deal of very desirable land in the higher portions of the city which will be built upon as soon as we have high service, by those who intend to put up handsome residences, which will add to the valuation of the city. Hitherto, land on the Brookline side has enjoyed a great advantage and has been built upon, while land on this side of the line has been left vacant, merely because we have not had high service. The growth of Newton depends in large measure upon the adoption of high service, and the West End Railway exten sions make it very desirable that Newton should be able to offer every advantage to purchasers. The Common Council has approved the proposed plan, and the board of aldermen will probably concur

at their meeting next Monday evening.

THE fourth class postmasters are being beheaded by First Assistant Clarkson with "celerity and despatch," the papers say, but there is more trouble over the presidential postmasters, and it is not yet decided that the congressmen will be able to have their own way, or secure their removal before their terms expire. It is said that Congressman Candler gives no encouragement to those seeking the Newton and Newtonville offices, and says that he can't do anything before the expiration of the terms of Postmasters Morgan and Turner. These are now offices of the second class, and in such offices the appointee has to give his personal atten-tion to the duties of the office. Mr. Can-dler has received a number of recommendations, or at least one candidate has been recommended to him for the office, although we are informed that Mr. Powers denies having signed a petition for Mr. Pratt. The article in the Graphic last week caused a great deal of amusement, and the sentiment of the people does not appear to be in favor of the proposed change. There is talk of the citizens taking hold of the matter, in opposition to the politicians, to secure the retention of Postmaster Morgan. It will be interesting to see which will

wealthy men." The Cottage Hospital has made a very favorable beginning and has made a very favorable beginning and has received quite a number of liberal endowments from public spirited citizens, whose names are known to all, and the new ward given by Mr. J. R. Leeson is about completed. We have also Farlow Park, the beautiful Bigelow memorial chapel at the cemetery, a number of memorial gifts in the Free Library, the Read Fund Leetures, and the Kenrick Read Fund Lectures, and the Kenrick fund, for instance, to tell of the liberali-ty of prominent Newton citizens. It is good record for a young city, as memorial gifts belong more to old and long established cities. Most of the wealthy men of Newton are still living and no one knows what gifts they have prepared in their wills, to surprise and benefit their fellow citizens. Rev. Mr. Gilman's address was nevertheless a very suggestive one and contained many excellent

THERE will be strong opposition to the purchase of the lot on Walnut street, next to the Claffin school honse, at the price asked, and Mr. Samuel Barnard of the school board says that several members of the board are opposed to the pro-ject. The general sentiment seems to be that the present lot is ample for school purposes, and that the city is not war-ranted in going to any unnecessary ex-pense. The article in last week's paper on this subject called out some remarks at the school board meeting, and it also called out a great number of commendatory letters, which are very significant of the state of public opinion.

MAYOR BURR called a special meeting of the board of aldermen on Monday evening, to take action in regard to the matter of abolishing grade crossings. The question is such an important one for Newton, that he recommended the creation of a joint standing committee, which was done, and the following were appointed: Aldermen Harbach and Tol-man; Councilmen Rice, Hale and Bond. If the statement of President Bliss in our Boston letter last week meant any-thing, the committee will have some im-portant work to do before the year is out.

THE appointment of Robert T. Lincoln as minister to England is an admirable one and I e will make a worthy successor to James Russell Lowell and Mr. Phelps. Our Dr. Loring gets the position of min-ister to Portugal, and three more editors get foreign missions. This is following out the suggestion made by the GRAPHIC last week, and is very encouraging to those editors who are seeking office.

THE Boston Aldermen had a hearing Wednesday night on the Overhead wire system of electric street railways, and very strong testimony in favor of the system was received from insurance men, property owners and others.

OUR BOSTON LETTER.

From Our special Correspondent:

A SERMON FOR THE TIMES.

I had the privilege as well as the pleasure of attending divine service at the Channing church, Newton, last Sunday morning.

My desire to go there was an impartial one and for which I could give no reason. But I was not prepared for the rich treat in store for me till I was informed, after being seated, thatProfessor Peabody was to supply the pulpit for that day.

I pass over the usual platitudes of the sermon being a finished production and eloquently delivered—to those who know Professor Peabody such would be superfluous. But when he read for the opening service selections from the old and new Testament. I was prepared not only for an intellectual treat but for a purely Christian exposition of the divine law as applicable exposition of the divine law as applicable to man. Nor was I disappointed when he announced as his text, "I am God of the valleys as well as God of the hills." Never before did that magnificent record of the battle between the host of Assyria and the children of Israel present such a signifi-

I have said that it was a sermon for the times. It was more than this. It embraced in its scope all that could benefit braced in its scope all that could benefit nations, government, peoples and society. It gave to every man his distinctive place among the crowd who make up the history of the world's existence. The sermon from exordium to peroration will remain engraved on my memory and if I dared, I would give a synopsis, but that would be doing it injustice. It should be printed and circulated broadcast as a Christian's idea of a Christian's duty to himself and idea of a Christian's duty to himself and the world.

THE SPRING EXHIBITION.

of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society which began on Wednesday morning was, considering all the circumstances and the limited space allowed for the exhibition

—the best on record,

As Newton figures largely in this exhibition, as it has in all others, for the reason that the chairmen of the several important committees have been selected from the Garden City, such as J. H.Woodford, chairman of the flower committee; Charles N. Brackett, chairman of the vegetable committee, and E. W. Wood, chairman of the fruit committee, all from Newton, warrant me in saying something about the origin of the society. Sixty years ago, Wales of Dorchester, Winship of Brighton, Kenrick of Newton and Hovey of Cambridge were the leading agriculturalists, arboriculturists and floriculturists of the State. The Hydes came in as a supplementary edition and -the best on record, came in as a supplementary edition and then came the families of Bowditch and

But when the society began to strengthen But when the society began to strengthen its stakes and enlarge its borders it embraced agriculture and then the Newton parties came in and established a precedence among the towns and counties of the State that has never been overcome. This is not so much due to those Newton parties who were noted for blowing their own trumpet as to the quiet unostentacome out ahead.

BEV. MR. GILMAN in his remarks at the West Newton Lyeeum was mistaken in one respect. He asked, "Where is the hospital that has been liberally endowed through the benevolence of development of the large number of which they know nothing. Still Newton comes the hospital that has been liberally endowed through the benevolence of the large number of the quiet, unostentatious labors of the large number of contributors who never sought to have their names those who contributed papers of which they know nothing. Still Newton comes the parties who were noted for plowing their last the quiet, unostentatious labors of the large number of contributors who never sought to have their names those who contributed papers of which they know nothing. Still Newton comes the parties who were noted for plowing their last asterior, aged 23 yrs. Il mov. 21 dys. Stolker hospital that has been liberally endown trumpet as to the quiet, unostentatious labors of the large number of contributors who never sought to have their names those who contributed papers of which they know nothing. Still Newton comes the parties who were noted for quiet, unostentatious labors of the large number of contributors who never sought to have their names those who contributed papers of which they know nothing. Still Newton comes of John Foley, aged 23 yrs. I mov. 21 dys. Stolker hospital that has been liberally endown the parties who were noted for quiet who read the quiet, unostentation when the quiet, unostentation who remained the parties who were noted for the quiet, unostentation when the quiet, unostentation who remained the parties of contributors who never sought to have their names to those who contributed papers of which they know nothing. Still Newton comes of John Foley, aged 27 yrs. Invited to attend. Burial private. EASTERBROOK—In Newton Upp r Falls, March Laborator of parties of contributors who never sought to have their names and the parties of the

THE SCHOOL BOARD.

THE COMMITTEE ON MANUAL TRAINING MAKE THEIR REPORT.

The monthly meeting of the School Committee was held Wednesday evening. Mayor Burr in the chair, and ten members present. Superintendent Emerson reported upon evening schools. Two have been maintained the past season, one for girls at Bigelow schoolhouse and one for girls and boys at Jackson schoolhouse. They were in session thirty even-ings, beginning Oct. 15 and closing Dec. 21. The whole number of different pu-pils was, in Bigelow school, 39; Jackson school, 197; total enrolment, 236. Average attendance in Bigelow school, 12; in Jackson school, 45; total average attendance, 57; percentage of attendance, 24.1. Ages of scholars ranged from 15 to 35 years. Eight teachers were employed, 2 in Bigelow and 6 in the Jackson school The studies pursued were reading, spell-The studies pursued were reading, speling, writing, arithmetic, history and book keeping. The cost of the schools was \$620.30; teachers, \$431.50; janitors, \$45 incidentals, \$96.45. The cost per pupil, based upon the total average attendance, was \$10.88.

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He recommended that some action be taken at this meeting to comply with the enrolling all persons in the city between the ages of 5 and 15 years. He also recommended that the teachers be allowed to close schools to attend the sessions of the teachers' convention to be held next month.

month.

The standing committee on accounts reported the needed items for the current month as amounting to \$10,955.73, and that amount was appropriated. The committee on text books reported in favor of the adoption of Mrs. Hyde's Lessons in English, and John Burroughs' Birds, Bees, Bright Eyes and other papers.

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The committee on industrial education made two reports. Their recommendations for the establishment of vacation schools were, 1st, that one vacation schools were, 1st, that one vacation schools were, 1st, that one vacation school be established and scholars over 14 years of age be admitted; 2d, that the instruction should be for girls, sewing and cooking, and for boys in the use of mechanical tools; 3d, that it be located in the unoccupied schoolhouse in Auburndale; 4th, that it be opened July 8 and continued 8 weeks, provided the attendance shall warrant; 5th, that the Common Council be asked to authorize and appropriate \$\frac{1}{2}\text{.500}\text{ to equip and maintain the school.}

This report was laid on the table and the committee instructed to ascertain the number of pupils who would attend such a school.

The second report of this committee was to recommend, 1st, that the best results can be secured by the establishment of a separate school which might be known as the Newton Manual Training school; 2d, that pupils be admitted to this school after completing studies in the grammar school in same manner as now admitted to the High school; 3d, that the course should cover a period of three years, and include English language, literature, mathematics, drawing and the use of tools in industrial art; 4th, that the time of the pupils be divided equally between mental and manual work, one hour per day being given to drawing, two hours to manual exercises and two hours to academic studies; 5th, diplomas to be awarded to those who honorably complete the course of study; 6th, the school to belocated in the unoccupied school-house in Auburndale, which is easily accessible from all parts of the city.

This report was advocated at length by Mr. Barnard. He stated cost of fitting for such a school in Omaha for 80 pupi sto be for carpentery and joining, \$285; tools, \$510; total, \$706. For wood turning, 20 lathes, \$550; shafting, pulleys, etc., \$140.05; setting up lathes, \$300, a total of \$1,333.50. If iron work

Mr. Dickinson said much has been re marked about training the hand and eye Mr. Dickinson said much has been remarked about training the hand and eye. We train the mind to use the hand and eye What ends are secured by introducing the workshop into schools? We cannot dispense with the training of the mind in our public schools. If we send a boy to the Manual school rather than to the High school we do him an injury for which he will some time blame the parent. He had just returred from Washington, and this question had been discussed there by some of the best educated and most intelligent men in this country. Much doubt was expressed as to the practicability of these schools.

The matter was laid upon the table, and it being ascertained that a quorum was not present, the chair declared the board adjourned, although several items of business should have received attention at this meeting.

DIED.

CHAFFIN-At Newton, March 28th, Maria D. Chaffin. Funeral private.

BRELDEN—In Newtonville, March 25, Mrs. Mary R. Breeden, relict of the late Lewis Breeden, 78 yrs. 1 no. TILTON—In Newtonville, March 23, General William Stowell Tilton, 61 yrs.

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GROUT—In Newton Centre, 27th inst., Charles
Grout, Funeral from his late residence, Parker
street, at 11.39 a. m. Saturday, 30th inst. Train
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invited to attend. Burial private.

EASTERBROOK—In Newton Upp r Falls, March
21, Hattle A. Easterbrook, aged 23 yrs. 11 mos.
12 dys.

Three Burglaries

The houses of Wm. May, Crystal street, Newton Centre, E. P. Seaver and F. N. Woodward, Woodward street, Newton Highlands, were entered by thieves Tuesday morning. At Mr. Mav's, two watch chairs were stolen, and at Messrs. Seaver & woodward's a small quantity of silverware was taken.



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Registrars of Voters.

Notice is hereby that the registrars of Voters will meet at the City Hall, on Monday evening, April ist, 1889, to make the Register of Voters re-quired in Sect. 16, Chap. 298, Acts of 1884. Notice of time and place for Registration for the Elec-tion, April 22, 1889, will be issued hereafter. By order of Registrars of Voters. ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, Warch 99, 1889. Clerk.

A bearing before the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, on Monday evening, April 1st, at 730 o'clock, on the petition of J. F. Horrigan, to erect a shop and earriage shed, 1830, on the south side of Washington street, Ward 2. Per order of the Mayor and Aldermen, 251t

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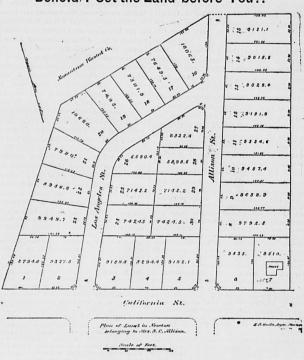
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While recently perusing an Ancient Classic, [a copy of which is in the Public Library, opposite my office in Newton], I became interested in a description therein of a piece of Real Estate, and the thought struck me that it might very appropri-ately have been penned in reference to a plat of land I now offer for sale. The land is situated about equi-distant from the Newton Station on the Boston and Albany Rail Road, and the Watertown Station the Fitchburg Rail Road. I quote verbatim:

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NEWTONVILLE.

—The foundations for four new houses are staked out on Clinton street and the cellars are being dug.

—Mr. U. H. Dyer has moved his goods to his new location in Central block and the store has been neatly fitted up.

-Miss Kate Jones of Crafts street returned on Wednesday from Abbott Academy, Andover, for a two weeks' vacation.

-Special exercises of unusual interest and importance will be held at the Universalist church, Washington Park, Sunday morning, April 7th.

—The annual meeting of the Universalist church was held Tuesday evening, and Mr. E. Bradshaw was elected clerk, and Mr. A. T. Sylvester treasurer.

-Mr. A. H. Soden gave a farewell supper in the old mansion on Walnut street, last evening, to the members of the M. E. Church and Sunday school.

—Mr. Luke Ashley who jumped from his team last week, badly spraining his ankle, is improving and will soon be enabled to resume his business duties.

—There was quite a large number present at the lenten services held at the residence of Mrs. Peck, corner of Central avenue and Court street, Monday afternoon.

-Mr. J. H. Williams has been confined to the house with a slight attack of pneumonia. He is improving, however, and was able to sit up the latter part of the week.

-The Co-operative Bank will hold their regular monthly meeting for sale of money at the office of secretary, Tuesday evening, April 2d, at 7.30. They will offer for sale \$4500.

—Mr.,A. A. Savage has taken the agency for the sale of the celebrated split-bamboo fishing rod, acknowledged to be one of the most desirable poles for anglers owing to its great strength and elasticity. —An enjoyable sociable was held in the Congregational church last evening. There was a large gathering present and the usual social features were enjoyed. Refresh-ments were served during the evening.

There will be an important meeting of the Goddard Literary Union at the Universalist vestry, next Tuesday evening, April 2. Action will be taken on the revised constitution and a full attendance is desired.

—Rev. Mr. Hunter gave an interesting address last Sunday morning in the Congregational church upon the Prolibitory Amendment and pointed out the advantages that would result from its adoption by the people.

—The death of General Tilton removes from us a most charitable gentleman who, during his short residence here, has been a kind and benevolent friend to the poor and suffering. The funeral occurred Tuesday afternoon.

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—Mrs. Mary R. Breeden, widow of the late Lewis Breeden, died at her residence, Walker street, Tuesday. The deceased was an old resident and was universally respected and esteemed. The funeral occurred Tuesday, and the remains were interred in the Newton cemetery.

T-Messrs. Fuller & French have leased Mr. A. S. Bryant's house on Watertown street to Mr. C. N. Whitney of Boston; Mr. J. M. Teele's house on Lowell street to Mr. Hall of Boston; Mr. Chester's new house on Cabot street to Mr. Allen of Boston.

—Newtonville was the scene of a pleasant gathering Tuesday evening upon the occasion of the union meeting in Masonic hall, under the auspices of Garden City and Eliot lodges, Knights of Honor. A full account of the meeting will be found in another column.

—The walls of the new brick building, which is being erected on a portion of the Pulsifer estate by Mr. H. F. Ross, are rapidly assuming shape and the structure will soon be completed. It will be arranged for four shops suitable for carpenters and painters.

—Repairs are being made upon the resi-dence of Ex-Mayor Kimball on Washington park, by Messrs. Higgins & Nickerson and the house will be newly painted. The fences in front of the estate are to be removed, in recognition of the march of improvement in that direction.

—John Donahoe, while at work in the gravel pit off Walnut street, Tuesday afternoon, was nearly buried beneath a falling embankment. His leg was broken, and he sustained other injuries of a serious character. He was attended by Dr. Hunt and subsequently taken to the Cottage hospital.

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—The pool and whist tournament is progressing under the auspices of the Newton Outing club and some very close and interesting games have been recorded. In the pool contest, the players have been pretty evenly matched and exciting games have resulted. A series will be played Saturday evening and it is expected that there will be a large attendance of members of the club.

of the club.

—The improvements in the Methodist church are completed. The interior of the auditorium has been handsomely thated and frescoed, and a large new Hook & Hastings organ has been added to the furnishings. The society has had an unusual growth during the pastorate of Rev. Geo. S. Butters, and quite a number have united with the church.

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—The people of this ward are quite anxiously awaiting the result of the bids for a location for the post-office for a term of four years. The bids were submitted over 12 days ago but nothing has yet been heard from the post office department. A large number of residents desire the present location in Central block, believing that it is central and convenient, but others are in favor of a change and suggest the fitting up of a first-class office in Associates' block.

—An effort is being made to establish a camp of the Sons of Veterans here. At the camp fire of Charles Ward post the subcamp of the Sons of veterans here. At the camp fire of Charles Ward post the sub-ject was brought up and Mr. Ferris of Brighton explained the character and pur-poses of the order which has for its special object the perpetuation of the charitles of the G.A.R., and in paying the loving trib-utes of respect to the veterans of the late war when they shall have passed away. A preliminary meeting for purposes of organ-ization will probably be held in the near future.

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—The concert at the Universalist church Wednesday evening, was a great success, both musically and financially. The church was filled and the audience was very enthusiastic. The artists were Miss May L. Semple, soprano: Miss Fay Adams, reader; Mr. Otto Roth, violinist; Mr. A. E. Pennell, tenor; Mr. E. L. Jordan, bartione, and Miss Fannie Cliff Berry, planist and organist. The program was a very enjoyable one and there were many encores, Miss Adams and Mr. Roth receiving a vry enthusiastic welcome, their selections beling very finely given. Quite a sum was realized for the benefit of the church.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Ormsby were ten-

benefit of the church.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Ormsby were tendered a surprise party Wednesday evening, numerous relatives and friends gathering their residence in Walnut Terrace. Dancing, social interchanges and a collation were among the enjoyable features of the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Ormsby were presented with a handsome silver bon-bon basket. Among the guests present were noticed Rev. and Mrs. R. H. White, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bullens, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Davis, Mr. Fred S. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cornish, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bradley, Mr. Russell, Dr. Webber, Mr. John Cornish, Miss Gould, Miss Davis, Miss Blakey, Miss Cobb, Miss Phinney.

—An interesting meeting in regard to the

evaning. The plans were informally discussed, the great benefit that such a hotel would be to Newtonville and to the city was shown and the articles of agreement read and approved. A number of subscriptions to the capital stock were received, and it is said that the success of the project is decided. The men who have taken hold of it are the s.m. enterprising gentlemen who have inaugurated several other public improvements, and who are doing so much to develop Newton and make it an attractive place of residence, with all the latest improvements, and who are doing so much to develop Newton and make it an attractive place of the control of the success of a hotel in the magnificent location from the social lifed be a city, being about equally distant from all the villages, and made easy of access by the electric cars which will be running by the time the hotel is completed.

WEST NEWTON.

-Officer R. B. Conroy has been assigned to special duty during the week.

-Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lucas have the sympathy of the community in the death of their only chiid.

their only child.

—Ex-Alderman Nickerson has fully recovered his health and is attending to his usual business duties.

—At the Women's Educational club, this afternoon, Miss Nina Moore is to read a paper on "The Crusades."

—Mrs. George M. Chase and son who were here on a short visit have returned to their home in Portland, Me.

—A gospel temperance service will be held Sunday evening in the chapel of the Congregational church at 7 o'clock.

-Mr. A. I. Barbour sails this week for Savannah and other points South, to be ab-sent a few weeks for the benefit of his health.

The old Valentine house has left its former moorings, and is settled upon the new foundations on the eastern corner of the estate.

—It is rumored that Waltham parties are egotiating for the purchase of the estate merly occupied by the late Dwight Field 1 Cherry street.

Miss Emma Nickerson closed her win-ter dancing-school Tuesday p. m., by an ex-hibition, which gave great pleasure to the friends of the pupils.

—Mr. Fred. H. Hobart was the soloist at the union meeting of the Newton lodges of the Knights of Honor, held in Masonic Hall, Tuesday evening.

—In court, since our last issue, 11 cases ave been disposed of as follows: Drunks, 1; larceny, 1; violation of the liquor law, ; violation of city ordinances, 2.

—The regular sociable of the Congrega tional society was held in the church par lors last evening and was largely attended The usual social features were enjoyed. -Union services will be held on Fast Day at the Baptist church at 10.45 a.m. Rev. H. J. Patrick (will preach and Rev. Mr. Jaynes will conduct the devotional

—One of the pleasant events of the week was a whist party at the residence of Post-master Stacy. Numerous guests were pres-ent and a most exjoyable social evening was passed.

—The music at the meeting of the Lyce-um, Monday evening, was a most enjoyable feature, consisting of violin numbers by Mr. Samuel Goldstein of the Boston Sympho-

ny orchestra.

—The estate of the late George E. Allen has been divided into house lots and will be sold in connection with the late residence of the deceased by order of the Probate court at public auction.

—Messrs. Fuller & French have leased the estate of Rev. J. W. Lindsay on Otis street to Mr. Henry E. Waite; also Mr. Kil-burn's house on Waltham street to Dr. Johnson of West Newton.

—Rev. Joseph Henry Allen read a very able and interesting paper before the Wo-an's Auxiliary Society upon the "Aryan Controversy" and "St. Augustine," Thurs-day p. m., in the Unitarian church parlors.

day p. m., in the Unitarian enuren pairors.—Chas. Daniels of the Boston Y.M.C A., and David E. Woodman of the Worcester Y.M.C.A., will give an exhibition at the Waltham Opera House, April 11, with a number of athletic contests open to all amateurs

—Rev. Geo. Constantine of Greece will speak in the chapel of the Congregational church on Friday evening, at 7.30. Mr. Constantine has visited the Giris' High school in Turkey, where Miss Sheldon of West Newton is teaching.

—The registrars of voters will meet in the City Hall, Monday evening April 1, to make the register of voters required in Sec. 16, Chap. 298, Acts of 1884. The time and place for registration for the special elec-tion will be issued hereafter.

—At the temperance meeting under the auspices of Loyatty lodge. Sunday afternoon, the musical selections were finely readered by the choir of the Newton Centre Congregational church and an excellent address was delivered by Rev. W. H. Cobb.

The eigible list of those who passed the examination for temporary and permanent positions in the clerical service of the city includes quite a large number and those who passed with a high per cent are anxiously awaiting notice of appointment.

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—The management expect a large audience at City Hall Sunday afternoon, and ample provision has been made to accommodate all who wish to attend. Miss Kate M. Riley of Boston is one of the star Catholic singers. A rich treat may be expected from her singing.

—A domestic living with the family of Mr. N. T. Allen, having served in the capacity of laundress 21 years, fell on the steps of the Catholic Church last Sunday p. m., and dislocated her hip. She was taken to the Cottage Hospital for treatment when she still remains.

—The class of '87, Newton High School.

—The class of '87, Newton High School, will hold a re-union at Nickerson's Hall. West Newton, April 6, at 7.45 p.m. All former members of the class are cordially invited, and it is desired that as large a number as possible be present to insure a social and financial success.

—The Alpha Banjo and Guitar club, assisted by the Ladies' Ariel quartet of Boston will give a concert at City Hall, April 18th. It will be a very popular affair, as the Alpha club is favorably known here for their fine playing, and the Ariel quartet is composed of charming singers.

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—The directors of "The Players" have this week decided to give their spring performance on the 8th and 9th of May, when they will present the play of Barbara" and Tom Taylor's farce-comedy, "Nice Firm. In the former, Aliss A. T. Call, who has not been seen on the Players' stage for nearly a year, will haye a strong part.

—A public meeting to discuss plans for the proposed new memorial building for Charles Ward Post &Z, will be held in the City Hall, Monday evening, April 15. Over \$1000 has already been pledged towards the building and it is expected that some of the wealthy citizens of the city will come forward with liberal subscriptions.

—The entertainment for the benefit of the Unitarian Sunday school referred to in our columns a few weeks since, will take place Fr day evening, April 5, in the vestry of the Sunday school. Pickets, \$25 ets., can be obtained of the teachers and scholars of the Sunday school. Jest largaram's drug store and at the door on the evening of the performance.

—In the Supreme court this week a number of waveled exerce cone were for the Sunday of the performance.

MIS Gould, Miss Davis, Miss Blakey, Miss
Cobb, Miss Phinney.

—An interesting meeting in regard to the proposed new hotel on Grove Hill Pa k wais held at the Newton Club house Thursday and and his case continued for sen-

tence. Winfred Hannell, for assault and battery on an officer, and Mary Hanney for a disturbance of the peace, had their cases placed on file on payment of the costs. Bartholomew Hanney, for disturbance, plead guilty and paid a fine of \$10 and costs.

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—The Constitutional Amendment meeting to be held at City Hall, Sunday afternoon, under the auspices of Loyalty Lodge of Good Templars, will be addressed by Mr. William Coveney of Somerville, formerly of Boston. Mr. Coveney is a member of the Catholic Total Abstinence ranks of the Archdiocesan Union, is one of the founders, and an ex-president of the State union. Miss Kate M. Riley of Boston will furnish yocal music for the occasion. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

—Fight officers were at the scene of the shooting at Hepworth Farm, Wednesday afternoon, within 15 minutes after word had been received at police headquarters. Sergt. Heustis remained at the house until 9 o'clock in the evening to look after the body until the arrival of the medical examiner. The officers at the scene were Capt. Davis, Sergt. Heustis, Officers Holmes, Quilty, Fletcher, W. G. Bosworth, Moulton and Purcell.

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—Some of the papers last week announced that Rev. W. T. Burns had declined his call to the pastorate of the church at West Newton; Mr. Burns has not de clined that call, but has accepted it, to commence his pastorate June 1st, and in the meantime he has taken a sea voyage to Galveston, Tex., to be absent some eight weeks, hoping to return so improved in health as to then enter upon the duties of the position to which he has been most heartily called at West Newton During the intervening period Prof. J. M. English will supply the pulpit.

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AUBURNDA LE.

—Mrs. Chas. Pickard will join her husband in South America very soon.

—Miss Louise Imogen Guiney, accompan-ied by Mrs. Guiney, will sail for Europe ear ly in the summer.

—Mr. C. S. Roberts starts for Buenos Ayres next week. Mrs. Charles Pickard will go at the same time. —A most interesting lecture was given in the Congregational chapel on Tuesday evening, by Rev. Mr. Sleeper.

—Rev. Mr. Bertrand of Paris will speak the Congregational chapel this (Friday) eve-ning on the evangelization of France. He is an earnest, touching speaker.

—Miss Sadie L. Hollingsworth and the Amphion Quartet will sing at the organ concert to be given by Mr. Goodrich at Newton next Thursday evening. —There will be a meeting at the Congregational Church, Saturday evening, in favor of the prohibitory amendment. The speakers are to be Col. R. S. Chevis of Kentucky and Rev. A. H. Plumb, D.D., of Bos.

—At the church of the Holy Trinity, 42nd street and Madison avenue, New York. The Cruefixion, by Stainer, will be given on Good Friday, by the choir of forty men and boys. The organist and choir master is Mr. H. W. Parker, son of Chas. E. Parker.

—We regret to announce that Miss E. A. Pinnoch, the well known, successful teacher in the higher department of the Willams School, is compelled by ill health to ask for a rest. We trust that she will be completely restored and able to resume her place in the autumn.

—The Guild of St. Agnes of the church of the Messiah are industriously preparing for a sale soon after Easter.—The Dorcas club have decided to make a contribution to the furniture of the altar.—The Women's Guild realized nearly fifty dollars from their late concert.

—The Rev. Mr. George of South Boston preached on Tuesday evening in the church of the Messiah, on "Christian duty and responsibility," Next Tuesday evening Rev. Mr. Whittemore, rector of All Saints, Dorchester, will preach. The rector gave on Wednesday at 4:30 an explanation of the 38th Psalm. This is a psalm of remembrance, having many Messianic allusions.—Services at the Church of the Messiah.

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On Tuesday evening, April 2, the Rev.
Charles T. Whitemore of Dorchester will
preach, service to begin at 7.45; on Wednesday a lecture on the fourth penitential
psalm, the 51st, at 4.30 p. m. On Thursday,
the Holy Communion at 9.45 a.m., and evensong at 7.45 with sermon by the Rev. Wm.
F. Cheney of Dedham. Other services:
Monday and Saturday at 4.30 p. m. and Friday at 7.45 p. m.

—There was a large gathering of peigh-

day at 7.45 p. m.

—There was a large gathering of neighbors and friends at the residence of Mr. George W. Bourne on Woodbine street, Wednesday evening, upon the occasion of a house warming. Mr. Bourne was pleasantly surprised and was the recipient of a handsome black walnut side-board on which numerous floral gifts were arranged. The presentation speech was made by Mr. I. S. Dillingham and a feeling response was made by Mr. Bourne. There were about 60 present and refreshments were served during the evening.

—The Citizens Constitutional Amend-

during the evening.

—The Citizens Constitutional Amendment Committee of Newton, have arranged their second grand rally to be held Saturday evening March 30 at 7.30 o'clock in the Auburndale Congregational church. Col. R. S. Chever, one of Kentucky's bravest sons and orators and Rev. A. H. Plumb, D.D., of Boston, will make the addresses. It promises to be a glorious meeting. Everybody is invited and especially those seeking information upon this most important subject. The church ought to be crowded.

Lasell Notes.

Mrs. Dr. Cushman of Boston is visiting her niece, Mrs. Shepherd.

Miss Call has returned from New York and resumed her place in her classes.

Miss Roth has so much improved in health as to be able to take her place again in school.

The Ch-istian Endeavor society on Tuesday evening, March 26, met for a con-secration service.

The cooking lecture on Monday, March 25th, was devoted to orange jelly, soft custard and creme diplomate.

Dr. Kent has been in her room a few days with an affection of the throat. Happily the difficulty is yielding to treatment.

The swimming class is increasing in number and enthusiasm. Some of the pu-pils boast of considerable progress in skill. The temperance meeting of Sunday afternoon, March 24, was given to a consideration of Bible precepts upon the subject.
The lecture upon "Sanitation" on Wednesday afternoon, March 27,was postponed

by, which was to occur in the evening.

Mr. Bernard Bigsily gave his second lecture at Lasell Seminary, Wednesday evening, March 27, upon the Origin of Language. The lecturer explained that man is the only animal who moves his tongue in giving sounds with the voice. He is capable of 46 tones. Many words indicate their meaning by their sound. So many have one root, that of the 130,000 words in the English language there are hardly 500 that are different, and words are so alike in displaying the second of the second

Or Verman, is nearly to become hereafter the language of the world.

On Thursday evening, March 21, a lecture was delivered in the chapel of Lasell seminary by Mr. Bernard Bigsly of Oxford, England. He treated of Dr. Thomas Arnold of Rugby and the English schools with which he was connected as pupil and master. He was educated at Winchester, the oldest of the six schools in England called public, but really intended only for the sons of the aristocracy. Mr. Bigsly gave a brief description of the old cathedral and school in the lovely county of Kent, and passed from that to Rugby and its condition when Dr. Arnold was chosen as its head, and afterward when his astonishing success had made him famous. The subject afforded many opportunities for eloquent description, for interesting digression and annusing anecdotes, to which his auditors listened with delight and frequent laughter and applause.

NONANTUM.

-Look out Monday morning next. -Moving seems to be the order of the day here.

-Some of our people claim to have seen blue birds and robins this spring.

-There will be a missionary concert at the North church next Sunday evening, conducted by the pastor.

-Councilman Forknall of this ward was elected Grand Councillor at the grand lodge of Good Templars last week.

—Augustus Kuhnert has entirely severed his connection with the Nonantum Worsted Company and gone to Cambridgeport.

—Mr. Hudson has but a very few of those short remnants left which will probably be sold off this week, as the price is bound to make them go.

—Alfred Butterfield, a bright little boy of eleven, has been quite dangerously sick for the past six weeks, but we are glad to say he is now improving very fast.

—Mrs. Geo. Smith has purchased from Mrs. Allison the house occupied by Mr. N. E. Carter and will move into it April 2. She will use it as a boarding house. The bad boys have again attacked the street lamps. It will be well if the police don't happen to find out who they are, but woe to those boys if they do find out.

A lecture on the prohibitory amendment to the constitution was delivered to a fair-sized audience at the North church, Wed-nesday evening, by Rev. G. W. Richardson of Watertown. Rev. Mr. Lamb presided and music was furnished by the Ashman band.

band.

—An accident occurred last Thursday afternoon at the Nonantum mills, which although not serious, might have been very serious had it not been for the presence of mind of one of the machinists. The governor belt on the large engine broke and the engine began to go with lightning speed which frightened many of the hands in all parts of the mill. The engine was quickly stopped, without damage to any of the machinery or hands. The belt was replaced and work resumed shortly afterwards.

WABAN.

—Mr. Wm. F. Goodwin is one of the new comers to this locality and has purchased a fine lot on Chestmut street, where he is building a very attractive residence. Mr. Goodwin is an architect, with his Boston office at 8 Exchange Place, and was formerly associated with S. J. F. Thayer. He designed and has the care of construction of the elegant residence of Mrs. D. L. Sheplie, Beacon street, Waban, which is a fine example of Colonial architecture, and is perhaps the most attractive home, in its interior arrangements, that has been built in Newton. Many people have visited it during the past few weeks, and will confirm the statement, and as it will not be entirely inished for two or three weeks yet, visitors will be admitted. Its chief attractions are in the broad and free style of construction, the generous admission of sunlight, the closets and the excellent sanitary arrangements. It is said that Mr. Goodwin will soon be engaged upon four or five other houses in this section, which is showing such a remarkable growth, and the care with which Waban is being laid out by the real estate owners make it a very favorable locality for attractive architectural effects. Now that it is known that the Almshouse is to be removed, many improvements and much building is anticipated here the coming season.

Civil Service Reform at Newton Centre.

Civil Service Reform at Newton Centre. To the Editor of the Graphic. On the fourth of March Benjamin Harrison was inaugurated President of the United States, and on the same day certain citizens of Newton Centre forwarded to Washington a petition praying that a new postmaster should be appointed in in their town. So prompt an application would seem to imply abuses in our present post office that needed immediate attention, and upon hearing that a second petition in favor of another candidate was also receiving signatures we resolved to find out the charges against the present postmaster. The result was as follows:

1. Mr. Richardson holds another office and is so disqualified.

2. Mr. Richardson is not himself at the office in person to receive and distribute

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3. Mr. Richardson is a Democrat.

Thorough inquiry has utterly failed to elicit any further charge. Even "offensive partisanship" has not been urged against him. It is almost an insult to the intelligence of the community to make any answer to these "charges," and we shall be as brief as possible.

1. Mr. Richardson is a member of the Common Council, elected by an overwhelming majority in a Republican community. The City Solicitor has given the opinion that the same person can hold the office of postmaster and councilman at the same time. There is no complaint that Mr. Richardson neglects the duties of either office.

2. The postmaster is the executive head of the office. If he manages the office so that the people are satisfied on the one hand and the government on the other, who are these madmen that must have their letters directly from the hands of the postmaster himself?

3. Mr. Richardson is a Democrat—this charge is true also. There is something almost disheartening in the fact that respectable and intelligent people will put their names to petitions such as these. "Mr. Richardson has made an efficient postmaster; I have no complaint to make whatever, and should be glad to see him retain his office till his term expires three years from now, but they asked me to sign a petition for a Republican and I signed it." These are the words of a

well-known and respectable citizen of Newton Centre. We are glad to say that in some quarters a very decided protest was made by Republicans against any attempt to procure Mr. Richardson's removal. It is discouraging to find so many, however, who are willing to help along a movement of this kind. Do they not see that they are threatening the liberties of the people; that they are doing their part that government of the people, by the people, and for the people, shall perish from the earth?

Newton Centre.

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-SECOND-

GRAND RALLY! Under the Auspices of the

Constitutional

Amendment Committee of Newton, will be held in

Congregational Church, Saturday Eve'g, April 6, at 6.30. Col. R. S. CHEVES, of Kentucky

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Tuesday, April 16, 1989, at 2 o'clock, p. m.,

at the dwelling house on Cherry street, West Newton, all the furniture and personal property belonging to said estate, consisting of Stores, Crockery, Beds, Bedding, etc., etc., After sale of personal property, will be sold three (1) lots; vacant land at corner of Cherry and River streets, containing respectively 5,510, 7,002 and 6,471 square feet of land. Also another va-cant lot northerly of the Mansion house on Cher-ry street, containing 9,281 square feet of land. Said lots are very desirable and well located for building dwelling houses thereon, and are within five minutes' walk of depot, postoffice, stores and schools, and supplied with a variety of fruit bear-ing trees.

ing trees.

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THE SHIPMAN'S TALE

T. B. ALDRICH.

isten, my masters! I speak naught but truth rom dawn to dawn they drifted on and on, ot knowing whither nor to what dark end, ow the North froze them, now the hot Sour scorehed.

Some called to God, and found great counts of, Some gnashed their teeth with curses, and some anghed an empty laughter, seeing they yet lived. So sweet was breath between their foodish lips. Day of the some relemites sun, and the some relemites sun, and the some relemites sun, and the some some unpitying stars, and the turerals fierce lightnings fore the clouds, showing vas hollow spaces, and the sleet Hissed, and the torrents of the sky were loosed. From time to time a hand relaxed its grip, and some pale wretch slid down into the dark With stiffed moan, and transient horror seized The rest who waited, knowing what must be. At every turn strange shapes reached up and Chutched

The whirling week, held on a while, and then

The whirling wreck, held on a while, and then Slipt back into that blackness whence they can

Ah hapless folk! to be so tost and torn,
So racked by hunger, fever, fire and wave,
And swept at last into the nameless void—
Frail girls, strong men, and mothers with their
babes!

My masters, not a soul!

Oh shipman, woful, woful is thy tale! Our hearts are heavy and our eyes are dimn What ship is this that suffered such ill fate

What ship, my masters? Know ye not?—The World! -Harper's for March.

DOWERLESS.

BY GEORGES OHNET, AUTHOR OF "THE MASTER OF THE FORGE."

(Translated from the French

When she entered the large drawingroom to attend the general's receptions, her fresh, smiling face and pretty bare shoulders drew a murmur of admiration from the group of officers gathered around the doorways. Her mother, majestic in the somewhat showy toilet of a woman who has spent most of her life in the provinces, followed, shaking her white corkscrew curls proudly as if say-ing: "This is my daughter!" Then came her father,a quiet,gentle-mannered, unassuming man,the colonel of the 123d, taking the utmost care not to step upon the trains of the dresses.

She had scarcely taken her seat ere a throug of captains and lieutenants, the cream of the garrison of Versailles, tightly buttoned into their full-dress uniforms, some with fair and some with dark moustaches, some with bold and some with dreamy eyes, rushed forward to seize her ball card. Then, in the goldof the band, she began to dance lightly and gracefully, borne along in the arms and gracefully, borne along in the arms of partners who eagerly strove to please her. To them her wishes were commands and her whims laws. The colonel's daughter! In times of speedy promotion a word of praise carelessly uttered by her lips: "What a charming officer Lieutenant So-and-so is, and such a eapital waltzer!" might decide a career. So by a tone of command, half coquettish, half imperious she made them march as

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She led this gay life until she reached her 22d year, moving from garrison to garrison, with flags unfurled and trumpets sounding—a somewhat nomadic existence. Her mother began to show signs of impatience; she would have liked to see her married. But a terrible barrier rose between the young girl and the aspirants to her hand, a barrier inscribed with the word, "Doweless!" And the officers flirted, laughed, danced, but seemed to have no thought of marrying.

To please the colonel's daughter sufficiently to win her good opinion was an excellent thing. To carry matters to the point of matrimony was quite another song! And nobody appeared disposed to learn the tune, at least, no one whoes suit would have been welcomed. For, during a whole twelve-month, the young girl had one trembling, sighing lover at whom she ungratefully laughed.

He was a tall fellow, with a russet brown moustache and blue eyes, a native of Loraine and a pupil of Saint Marcel. He had entered the army at 18, been wounded at the battle of Coulmiers and wore the medal bestowed for gallantry. But, as he had not graduated at Saint Cyr, he was coldly treated. Of peasant lineage, he was strong and vigorous, tacturn by temperament, though well informed. Perfectly at home on the drill ground, he was out on which occasion he had made such a muddle of the figures of the Boston that the most experienced when he had made such a muddle of the figures of the Boston that the most experienced eye would never have recognized it. This luckless trial sufficed; rather than face those jeering glauces again he would gladly have se jeering glances again he would gladly have marched up to a battery.

Hidden in a window niche, he spent hours in watching the object of his ado-ration, as she danced with bewitching vivacity, following her with his eyes amid the whirling throng. Sometimes he summoned up courage to approach her mother and formally pay his respects, her mother and formally pay his respects, but this was the hight of his audacity. He watched his comrades enviously as they hovered around the young girl, saying to himself: "One of these days news of her approaching marriage to one of those gentlemen will be told at the messtable and all will be over!" He had fits of overwhelming despair at times in the cheerless atmosphere of his turnished lodgings. He tried to reason with himself. Was he not mad to think of this spoiled child of luxury? She was destined for the scion of some noble family, not for a poor, penniless officer. Yet his thoughts constantly turned to her. During the sleepless hours of the night he beheld her whirling lightly and gaily through the mazes of the waltz. She seemed to be coquetishly calling him, and he thought: "Who knows? Perhaps she might accept me." His heart beat till it almost stifled him.

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One morning he could bear it no long-er. This sort of life had become impos-sible. He went in search of the major, who had always showed a friendly inter-est in him, and begged him to see the colone; and without actually putting the question, ascertain how an offer of mar-riage would be received. He spent the day by the edge of a lake, watching the

carp leap in the sunshine, already regretting his step and seeing nothing but darkness in the future.

That evening the major drew him into a corner of the courtyard of the barracks, and said curtly: "I've seen the colonel. He was very kind, and this is his answer: "Your favorite is penniless, my daughter has no dowry, it would be wedding hunger and thirst.' He's right, too, by Jeve! Think no more about the young lady. If you are disappointed, console yourself with the study of tactics."

The lieutenant thanked him, but made no effort to console himself, and as officers were wanted for the expedition to Tonquin, he volunteered, and the following week embarked at Brest, and while, with swelling heart, he was borne farther and farther away across the heaving ocean surges, the young girl, happy and careless, continued to dance amid the light and the flowers to the soft notes of the music.

Two years passed away. The general

ocean surges, the young girl, happy and careless, continued to dance amid the light and the flowers to the soft notes of the music.

Two years passed away. The general still gave receptions in his handsome house, but the charming girl who had formerly turned all heads no longer appeared at these brilliant military entertainments. The colonel of the 123d had died suddenly, on the eve of obtaining the stars. A dull, monotonous existence followed the gay, changeful life formerly led by the two women. All the officers who had fluttered around them disappeared with the mirth and pleasure of former days. The new colonel of the regiment also had a wife and daughter, to whom, as reigning sovereigns, all the homage was paid; the ex-queens received an absent minded salute in the street, followed by a hasty retreat.

The widow and orphan, smiling bitterly, slowly pursued their way. They spent much of their time in the park, enjoying the warm air of the beautiful autumn days, whose sunlight gilded the marble statues and shed a yellow radiance upon the foliage of the huge chestnut trees. Sitting in their mourning robes, they listened to the military band which recalled a semblance of their former happiness. For a brief interval they fancied no change had taken place in their lives, and the colonel's resonant voice would soon exclaim behind them: "Good afternoon, ladies; the band of the 124th gives the concert to-day; it is not so good as ours."

But the shouts of the children playing in the sand were the only sounds that reached their cars. The mother, sighing heavily, tried to read the paper through eye-glasses dimmed by tears, while the daughter secrely cast a mournful glance at her former partners, who no longer recognized her. She was now in her 25th year, and her beauty, refined by sorrow, had a still greater charm. She was like a flower that had been refreshed and purified by the rain. Grave and gentle, she seemed to be doing penance for her happy past.

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One day, while listening to the music, she saw among the group of officers who were walking, chatting, smoking and laughing, a new face, which instantly recalled the general's receptions and her timid lover standing in a corner devouring her with his eyes.

"Oh! mamma!" she exclaimed. "Look! There is the linutenant."

troubled you!"
But he turned with tender pride to the young girl, aying: "Mademoiselle, I now have an assured future to lay at your feet. I love you,—will you be my wife?" Her face paled as she remembered her first refusal, and, recollecting all that the brave fellow had done to deserve his good fortune, she held out her hand and, with her head on his shoulder and her lips pressed to the rough bullion which marked the rank so valiantly won, she shed tears of joy.

Prohibition Experience in Iowa.

Iowa has a population equal to Massa, chusetts and an area eight times as large. In 1887 under prohibition it had only 1520 criminal convictions. During the same year in Worcester alone of our own State there were 1682 arrests for drunkenness alone. She has 100 jails and 55 of them were empty at one time without a single convict. Forty-one of her district judges give willing and overwhelming testimony for prohibition as executed in their own State. Hear them speak:

their own State. Hear them speak:
Judge Traverse says, "It is the most christianizing and civilizing event that has happened within the age."
Judge Stuart says, "I would not advise the repeal of the prohibitory law."
Judge Harvey says, "I am not aware that there is a saloon in the district."
Judge Lewis says, "The law is as well enforced as any other and has decreased criminal expenses at least two-thirds."
Judge Wakefield "Was opposed to the law at its enactment, but acknowledges that the power of the traffic seems to be broken and enforcement possible and practicable."
Judge Henderson, 'If officials do their duty we will entirely suppress the evil

that the power of the traffic seems to be broken and enforcement possible and practicable."

Judge Henderson, 'If officials do their duty we will entirely suppress the evil under the present law."

Judge Ayres, "I have no doubt that the prohibitory law has reduced criminal offenses and the expenses of the courts in this district very largely, and I certainly would not advise a repeal of it."

Judge Wilkinson, "The prohibitory law in this district is well enforced. While there are clandestine sales of liquor I know of no saleon in the district."

Judge Lewis, "I would not recommend the repeal of the prohibitory law, as I believe it will end the saleon and promote a temperance sentiment and sobriety."

Judge Ryan, "I am free to say that in my limited experience on the bench and twenty years at the bar, I would not advise its repeal."

Judge Kavanagh, Jr., Roman Catholic Judge of Des Moines, "It has decreased crime over fifty her cent and added largely to individual happiness."

Judge Gavin, "I would certainly not advise its repeal, and I do not know of any law that I would be willing to see placed in its stead."

Judge Weaver, "I have been on the bench now a year, have held twelve terms of court in eight different counties. During that time I have been called upon to preside in but two state cases where the change was above the grade of misdemeanor, and have had occasion to pronounce but one sentence of imprisonment in the penitentiary. The criminal expenses in nearly every county are being reduced to a very low sum."

Judge Granger, "The effort at closing the saleons in these counties has been successful. I have no hesitancy in saying that the closing of the front door of the saleons in these counties has been successful. I have no hesitancy in saying that the closing of the front door of the saleons in these counties has been successful. I have no hesitancy in saying that the closing of the front door of the saleon, whereby it is destroyed as a place of social resort, has cancelled ninetents of the drunkenness.

that moment, far away in the distance, above the clamor of the yellow horits, above the clamor of the yellow horits, above the clamor of the yellow horits, and the notes of deliverance. Oh, what an hour of rapture! He had seen the enemy fly, the triccolor appear, and fell without regrets, knowing that France had won the victory. His condition had appeared with the tricolor appear, and fell without regrets, knowing that France had won the victory. His condition had appeared with the tricolor appear, and fell without regrets, knowing that France had won the victory. His condition had appeared with the two we calculating that the had gained at less to years advance of his companions. The daughter was scrutinging the young solder and thinking him altered almost beyond recognition; his wan, thin face gave him an air of discondinave disdained this brave warrior, who, having paid to re-each promotion with his blood, was now returning to an assured future gard its repeal as a calamity."

He too was reflecting. Could this quiet service of the common was presented by the desired of her in this guise. Yes, it was really direct times browlein.

Their eyes met, and she read so much admiration in the officer's that she averted her glance in embarrassment. Darkness was gathering, the mother and how appeared before him, a woman abundred times more charming in her sort of the first time of the path, with the linger.

The next day he met them at the concert again, and the same thing happened on each following one. He sat tested the young girl, and, while her mother and the concert again, and the same thing happened on each following one. He sat tested the young girl, and, while her mother and the concert again, and the same thing happened on each following one. He sat the same and the same thing happened on each following one. He sat the same through the park, with the linger.

December was passed in ever increased as New-year's day approached. He often went to Faris, spent less time with the decived What mystery was impending?

ard's life, and, God helping me, I have resolved that if my vote can give the people a channe to banish the saloon from our State, that, come what may, shall be freely given, and I change my vote and ask it be recorded in favor of this measure."

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Citizens of Newton, vote to save your boys and other people's boys from possible drunkard's lives and hopeless remorse.

W. II. P.

We have received this week from White, Smith & Co., 957 Washington street, the following vocal compositions: "Till the Breaking of the Day," Ciro Pinsuti; "Surely," A. H. Behrend; "We Are Coming with a Hundred Thousand More," temperance song by A. E.French; "He is Risen," one of C. C. Stearns octavo series of sacred music.

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spring medicine.

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-Miss Helen Ellis is in Tilton, N. H., for a few weeks, visiting. -Mrs. Robbins has returned from a short visit at Worcester.

-Mr. Samuel A. Walker is improving but is still confined to the house.

-See Armstrong Bros. new advertise ment, Newton Centre Directory. -Mr. Steven V. A. Hunter of Lake avenue is in New York on business this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Zadoc Long of Ridge avenue, are boarding in town for a few weeks. -Miss Bingham, Miss Grace Colburn and Miss Rice are all here for a short vaca-ijon from Smith college.

—A letter in regard to the agitation for a hange of postmaster at this village will be ound in another column.

-Fast Day, April 4, there will be united service at the Methodist church, with sermon by Rev. D. L. Furber, D.D.

-Mr. George L. Hawes has been visiting mother, Mrs. Charles H. Wilson of El-a street for a few days this week. Mr. Wm. Stringer was thrown from a carriage this week and received a slight scalp wound. His team was slightly injured.

—Mr. Luther Paul has commenced this week to move his old family mansion, preparatory to building a handsome new house on the same site.

—The Newton Centre branch of the Women's Auxiliary met on Wednesday af-ternoon at the house of Mrs. Henry War-ren on Station street.

—The tickets for the amatuer theatrical entertainment will not be for sale until Thursday, April 11. They will be placed at Mr. Noble's on that date.

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On Monday evening the drill of the younger girls of the village was held. Only complimentary tickets were used and the drill was very successful.

—The report is that the day police were taken off here as an experiment. The general sentiment seems to be that they should be put on duty again as before.

- Mr. Charles Rogers of Ward street, who has been in Arizona a year studying mining, has returned with his father, Mr. Thomas L. Rogers, for a vacation.

—List of letters advertised March 25,1880, Alice Carter, Minnie Cain, Annie Cain, Mary Connelly, P. Fennessey, Nathan S. Joy, Eliza Reane, C. O. Whitman.

—On Monday evening several houses in the neighborhood of the lake were entered. Fortunately nothing of value was taken from any of them by |the would-be thieves.

—It is reported that Wilson Brothers from Westboro have bought Fife's express lusiness, possession given April 1st. They have leased the Horace Cousens house near the railroad.

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—Miss Florence Paul of Smith College is
at home for a vacation of a month. Until
their old house is again on solid foundation
Mr. Paul and family are in their house
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—Col. E. H. Haskell of Beacon street and Mrs. Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Hamlin of Cresent avenue, attended Gov. Ames reception on Wednesday evening, in honor of the House of Representatives.

—Rev. J. B. Thomas, D.D., one of our well-known seminary professors, addressed the young men at the Young Men's Chris-tian Association of Boston, Sunday after-noon, on the subject of "Foolhardiness."

- Rev. Edward Hale, the colleague of Dr. E. E. Hale of Boston, occupied the Unitarian pulpit on Sunday evening. His sermon was on the relation of doubt and faith in our daily lives and was very interesting.

—Mr. Albert M. Fowle returned from Central America last week where he spent the winter. He in company with others passed over the line of the Panama canal, and also made an inspection of the pro-posed Nicaragua canal route.

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—The old fashioned school to be given on the 10th of April by the Improvement Society, promises to be interesting, especially to those of the village who can remember the "district school" of their youth. We understand that some prominent gentlemen are to act as committeemen on this occasion and perhaps address the school.

—The sudden death of Mrs. Emily P. Denny at Florence, was one of the sad events of last week. Mrs. Denny was a daughter of the late Thomas Groom. She went abroad last autum with her daughters for a year's stay. Mrs. Denny, whose home was at Chestnut Hill, was loved and respected by all those who came under her sweet influence. Great sympathy is expressed for the bereaved daughters in a foreign land.

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—By the death of Mr. Charles Grout on Wednesday, Newton Centre loses a prominent and much respected citizen. Mr. Grout was of the firm of Grout, Warren & Blanchard of Boston, and is a well known business man there. Two years ago he moved here from Chelsea, and daring that short time has made many warm friends moved here from Chelsea, and during that short time has made many warm friends Lere. Last fail Mr. Grout bought Mr. Ed-ward F. Cushman's house on Parker street and has spent much time and strength in making it as attractive as possible. The funeral will take place at 11.30 a. m., tomorrow, Saturday.

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—Dr. J. B. Thomas of Newton Centre gave the address at the men's meeting of the Boston Young Men's Christian Association, Sunday afternoon, to an audience of nearly 200 young men. His topic was "Foolhardiness." After reading the Seripture story of the death of Asahel at the hands of Abner (H. Samuel, ii.), he spoke with characteristic eloquence and force, giving many helpful thoughts and suggestions, and just such practical, religious food as young men need. He was listened to with much interest and attention, and his hearers could not fail to be greatly benefited.

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—The subscription party in Associates' hall on Thursday evening was, although comparatively small in number, a very pretty and enjoyable affair. Mrs. Joshua Baker, Mrs. Albert Brackett and Mrs. Winthrop S. Brackett received the guests, who were presented by the ushers, Mr. Frank Lecompte of Newton Centre, Mr. Frank Lecompte of Newton Centre, Mr. Straat Wise of Brookline and Mr. Arthur Brackett, Mr. Joshua Baker, Jr., and Mr. Harry Cutler of Newton. Dancing was continued from 8.30 to 1 a.m., with an Intermission for refreshments, which were served by Paxton of Newton. Cole's orchestra furnished the music which seemed particularly good.

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—A State convention has been called by the constitutional amendment campaign committee, of the friends of constitutional prohibition, to be held at the Meionaon, Tremont Temple, Wednesday, April 3, beginning at 11 o'clock and continuing throu' the day. Addresses will be given by United States Senator Colquitt of Georgia, Col. R. S. Chevis of Kentucky, Col. J. G. Crawford of Clinton, Mrs. J. Ellen Foster, H. H. Faxon, Miss. E. S. Tobey, president of the Massachusetts W.C.T.U., Mrs. Clara C. Hoffman of Ohio, and Col. Haskell, president of the campaign committee. In the evening there will be a mass meeting in Tremont. Temple, at which ex-Governor Long will preside and speak, and the address of the evening will be given by Senator Colquitt of Georgia. It is also expected that either ex-Governor Dingley of Maine

or William Lloyd Garrison will speak. The committee extend a cordial invitation, and request that every town and city of the State shall send a delegation.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

Mrs. Harris has been quite ill for several days.
The Chatauqua club will meet with Miss Anna Thompson next Monday.
Mr. Newhall has commenced the work of enlarging the fish market by the extension of the ell portion.

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--The Monday club will meet next week with Mrs. Jones. Miss Hersey lectured on Tolstoi before them last week.

--Mr. C. H. Brown has returned from Washington after an absence of six weeks. Mrs. Brown will remain some weeks longer.

--Night callers carried off forty dollars' worth of silver ware from Mr. S. N. Woodard and eleven dollars' worth from Mr. E. P. Seaver, one night this week.

---Rey, Dr. Hooker president of Rolling.

-Rev. Dr. Hooker, president of Rollin's College, Winter Park, Fla., will with his family, spend the summer at Newton High-lands, if a suitable house can be secured.

Mr. Te Gl. Pond has let a tenement in his new double house on Floral Place, to Mr. Teeple in the employ of Messrs. Isaa Fenno & Co., wholesale clothiers, Boston. —Mr. G C. Emery and family will remove on Saturday to Warren avenue, Boston, near by the Warren avenue schoolhouse, in which he is one of the teachers.

—The highway department are making a much needed improvement on Centre street between Walnut and Boylston, by having the same graded with crushed stone and gravel.

—Mr. Munro, the carpenter who is engaged in fitting up the new market, will remove with his family from Malden, and occupy a part of the Stowell house on Columbus street.

—Mr. H. W. Crowell of Newton who was so severely injured near the residence of Mr. Crane, and was taken to Newton Cottage Hospital, has so far recovered as to be able to attend to business.

—Mr. Hurley, the builder, who fell from the staging of the house being erected for Mrs. Cobb, in the early winter, breaking both legs and taken to Newton Cottage hos-pital, was at the Highlands one day this week, moving about on crutches.

—The lot of land fronting on Hyde street between the estates of Mr. Prendergast and Mr. Baird, and extending to the Dorr estate, has been sold to parties having es-tates adjoining, who are having the same fenced in to be used for a private park.

—Mrs. Burr, the mother of W. H. and Dr. C. H. Burr, died on Tuesday of this week, in Canada. The funeral will take place from the residence of Dr. Burr, on Saturday. The family have the heartfelt sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

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—Mr. E. G. Pond and family have removed to Needham, where he has lately purchased a farm of seventy acres, with a fine large house and large farm buildings. We are sorry to lose the family from our midst, but hope the change may be of much benefit to them.

The Chapin house on Erie avenue has been let to Mr. Parks, a relative of Professor Parks of Andover, who will occupy about May I. Mr. Parks will have charge of the Newton Rubber works which have lately been established at Upper Falls, near the lower bridge.

—The store lately vacated by Mr. Moulton, is being remodelled for stores, and the old building fronting on Walnut street is being fitted up for a store, with a tenement above, which with the Bowen block with two stores, now being erected, we think might fully meet the business needs of the Highlands for some time.

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—If the power of Christian living consists in lives of purity, righteousness and love as the Bible teaches, there has been and will be a good deal of that kind of living developed in the Congregational church here, according to the testimony presented at the church on Tuesday evening at the last of the meetings held by the evangelsts. Rev. N. H. Harriman, who has conducted these meetings, preached a sermon to recent converts on this occasion. After this and the experiences of Christians had been given, the past of the church made an address expressing his appreciation of the work of the wangelists and of the meaning that the same the church had worked during these meetings. J. F. C. Hyde followed referring to the history of the church. A. F. Hayward expressed results that the meetings were over. George New Spoke of the high estimation in which he held the work and W. C. Strong followed urging the church not to depend on God for results which God eaths on the church to accomplish. All expressed their estemation in which they held their word done here. Rev. N. H. Harriman and Mr. R. F. True responded to these expressions of the estimation in which their word done here. Rev. Nathan H. Harriman, the evangelist, is at present a resident of Newton Highlands, His services are recommended to churches requiring the nid of a devoted and successful evangelist.

Annual Prize Drill.

The annual prize drill for the Pulsifer medal was held in Armory hall, last Friday evening. There was a very large audience, including members of the city government,

evening. There was a very large audience, including members of the city government, prominent citizens and ladies.

An orchestra furnished music during the evening and about 8.20, the Claffin Guards, under command of Captain Applin, marched upon the floor. The drill was watched with great interest, especially when with great interest, especially when with each departure from the floor the company returned with thinned ranks, until there were only three men in line. The Pulsifer medal was awarded to 1st Sergeant John S. Williams and was given to him by Hon. Levi C. Wade, in a pleasant speech of congratulation. The second prize, a handsomely engraved silver medal, was given to Private Fred W. Turner. The ludges were Capt. Henderson of company E, 5th regiment, Medford; Eleut H. B. Farker, paymaster, and Lleut R. B. Edes, inspector rifle practice, 5th regiment, M. V. M. Among those present were noticed ex-Mayor Kimball, Judge John C. Park, Mr. J. Willard Riee, Mr. Henry Kendall, Quartermaster Barnes of the 5th regiment M. V. M., Capt. John C. Kennedy, Capt. John A. Kenrick, Capt. Walworth and Maj. F. H. Moorehouse of the Newton high school battallon. After the drill, the floor was cleared for dancing, to which the remainder of the evening was devoted.

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The meeting last Sunday took on the feature of temperance, and was in charge of Mr. F. A. Houdlette. He said te wanted to treat the question of temperance from a purely business standpoint. As in business, so in this matter we cannot be cold or luke-warm. Each must be active and earnest to be successful. Mr. Hondiette appealed to the ladies to use their influence to make their homes happier. Mr. Thomas Weston then spoke briefly, stating that he had always been a temperance man; he began by being a temperance man; he began by being a temperance boy. One or two impressions, when a youth faid so been stamped, that they always remained. Miss May Parks added interest to the occasion by two cornet solos. The meeting next Sunday will be under the leadership of Mr. F. F. Davidson of Auburndale.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cheney are re-cciving congratulations. It is a boy.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

FIRST RALLY OF THE CAMPAIGN IN ELIOT HALL, NEWTON.

The first rally of the campaign under the auspices of the Citizen's amendment committee was held in Eliot Hall, Newton, Tuesday evening. The audience num-bered about 500 persons, and much enthusiasm was manifested. Mr. Thomas Weston presided and delivered an intro-

ductory address, speaking as follows:

"I accept with pleasure the honorable service you asked me to perform this evening. Our fathers in adopting the Constitution of this Commonwealth wisely foresaw that changes would inevitably be required in the instrument they had framed with so much deliberation. They carefully provided that there should be no changes therein or additions thereto unless demanded by the people and after careful consideration were to be deemed a necessity for the growth, the welfare and prosperity of the Commonwealth. They wisely provided that no trivial matter should ever find its place in that bulwark of our liberties, changes were only to be made therein when there had been such a growth of public sentiment that two-thirds of the Legislature for two successive years should signify their approbation of such proposed amendment, and that it should be submitted to the citizens of the Commonwealth for their approval at the poles. Such has been the constantly growing sentiment for the past generation upon the subject, that a very large number of citizens in the Commonwealth believe that the growth, the prosperity and highest welfare of the people demand that the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors for a beverage in this Commonwealth should be prohibited in our constitution, and according to the terms thereof, the Legislature for two successive years have voted that such an amendment was necessary and desirable, and now by provision of law this proposed amendment is to be submitted to the voters of this Commonwealth on the 22d of April. To consider the expediency of an amendment we are here this evening. Your presence in so large numbers indicate that you are interested in the important subject of temperance, and that your vote will be such as will best promote its interest. I desire to submit for your consideration a few suggestions which may strengthen your convictions as to the desirability of the amendment being a part of the Constitution of our Commonwealth. Probably never in the h

worse than all that ninety per cent, of all that was exported from America was manufactured within sight of the dome of the State House.

As citizens of this Commonwealth conscious of the proud position that Massachusetts has always maintained in all that is great and good to elevate fallen humanity, that it is the home of the various missions to help the dark and unenlightened nations of this world, we hang our heads with shame at such a revelation, and more humiliating it is that during the last administration the great powers of England and Germany, conscious of the baneful influence that was being exerted by this infamous traffic, applied to the government that we would unite with them in some measures to suppress it. I am informed on what I deem good authority that the fact that here in Massachusetts in the town where it is manufactured under a local option law it is not illegal so to manufacture: it, so seriously embarassed Secretary Bayard in any action that he might have desired to take, that he was obliged to decline to enter into negotiations with these great powers of Europe. Had our constitution prohibited the manufacture of intoxicating liquor as a beverage the insurmountable obstacle to such a desirable end would not have existed and our proud old Commonweath been saved this humiliation.

It would be reason enough for your vote for the adoption of this proposed amendment that it would remove from politics one of the most objectionable features in the municipal elections of some of the cities of our Commonwealth, and tend to give to us a purer government and better men to guide our municipal affairs.

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The liquor interests are so strong in not a few of the cities of the Commonwealth that the whole power of government is made subservient to it, men are chosen for their prominence in the liquor interest and not for their fitness to fill important positions.

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interest and not for their fitness to fill important positions.

If this amendment is carried this element is forever eliminated from municipal politics, and I know of no expedient that would tend to so improve the government of our cities as that the liquor influence should in this way be forever removed from politics. No more foreign removed from politics of the city of Boston within the past year.

There is another view of this question which is certainly deserving of your consideration; the average citizen believes that he who enters my house at might and takes my watch and money commits a crime; the same citizen believes that he who enters my house at might and takes my watch and money commits a crime; the same citizen believes that he who sells liquor to a young man, thus forming and strengthening his taste for intoxicating drink until the habit of drink is fixed upon him so strongly that it cannot be thrown off, the attendant loss of business, loss of society, misery and wretchedness in his home, the labit of drink is fixed upon him so strongly that it cannot be thrown off, the ability of drink is really a crime or not depends upon how many "yes" votes were deposited in the ballot box the year previous. In the ballot box the year previous is blunted and destroyed and the question of the probability of detection, and punishment.

The no ora ists of to-day are; justly groaning over the blunted conscience of the community in reference to right and the community in reference to right and constant is a crime or not depend upon the year.

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wrong, and the results to the nation which must surely follow. Has there been a single cause that has more tended to produce this state of things than the treatment the liquor question has received at the hands of this Commonwealth within the past generation?

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Let it be once put into the constitution that the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor as a beverage is prohibited, and it is no longer dependent upon a show of hands whether it is a crime or not, this would remove at least one of the great causes that has so blunted the conscience and sensibilities of the present generation upon that which is morally light or morally wrong, and the attendant consequences logically following. The principal objection that is urged by the friends of temperance against this proposed amendment is in the first place, that the sentiment of the people is not up to such a standard; that our present local option law is doing a good work and if it is not then high license will accomplish all that is desired.

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Let us call your attention for a moment to the first objection I have noted; that this amendment should not pass because our people are not up to its standard. A single illustration will answer this argument—where would the rights of freedmen of the South be today if we had waited for the voters of Southern states to have such a political standard of equal right for all, as would have given them the rights that every American citizen may now justly claim. What an illustration of this may be found in the history of the enactment and enforcement of the revenue laws of England a hundred years ago. Legislation upon every great moral reform, in order to accomplish its work must be in advance of the sentiment of the community when such reform is concerned, in suppressing the evil of drink, it is a failure. Every town within the radius of fifty miles from Boston may vote no license, and there may not be a single building within this locality where liquor may be obtained, and yet such are the facilities of communicating with Boston that every person without difficulty can obtain at least once a day as much liquor as he desires.

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Not a few of the friends of temperance are confidently looking toward high license as the great remedy. I will admit that I am in favor of high license if I can get nothing better, but I should hesitate very much to be an advocate of high license. I understand what is meant by high license is that a few men by paying from five hundred to five thousand dollars are to be permitted to sell or manufacture intoxicating liquor as a beverage. That certainly means that sand dollars are to be permitted to sell or manufacture intoxicating liquor as a beverage. That certainly means that the price of liquor must be increased to the drinker and that the business must go into the hands of those and those only who can afford to pay the large license to carry it on. It practically amounts to this: the poor man cannot get into business because he has not the means or that he cannot have his glass of liquor because it is so high he cannot afford to pay for it. No one ever heard of high license by reducing the number of people who are licensed to sell or manufacture, without at the same time making a very large license fee.

It is a fundamental principle in our government, a principle dear to every citizen, and which shows itself along the whole line of our written and unwritten law, that however it may be in other countries, in America a poor man's rights are just the same as a rich man's. The poor man and rich man stand on an exact par before the law. The law and the government know no difference between them.

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No scheme has ever been devised which has ever held up such a distinction between the rich man and the poor man, sanctioned by the form of law, as the system of high license, and U for one can never give my vote or my influence for any such measure. The law must give no more a ven'age to you who're rich than it gives to you who are poor. No stronger reason could be unged for the adoption of this amendment than the marked success which has followed similar enactments in other states of the Union. I heard a letter read last evening from Hon. Neal Dow of Maine, giving the salutary effect of such an enactment in his State and its attendant benefits.

We have with us this evening a prominent citizen and a former member of Congress of the great and prosperous State of lowa, who will give important evidence upon the working of a similar amendment in his own Commonwealth. Fellow citizens, having a regard for the welfare of our Commonwealth which in generations gone by has had such a proud position of influence for good upon all the great questions that have affected humanity, we cannot afford to lose this opportunity of enabling Massachusets once more to take the advanced position upon this great question.

Rev. D. O. Mears, D. D., of Worcester, was the next speaker. He alluded to the efforts made to give respectability to the opponents of the anendment. It mattered little, he said, how many good men were on the other side; the question for us to solve is what is the bestremedy for the terrible evil resulting from the liquor traffic? On the one side we find the church and the living God and on the other than the living God and on the holiquor traffic? On the one side we find the church and the living God and on the other than the living God and on the other than the living God and on the holiquor sold and its effects in poverty and crime. Prohibition does prohibit, it may not wholly prevent the sale of intoxicating liquor. If the ame

toward the Highlands, overturning the carriage in his flight, badly damaging it.

—The Christian Endeavor prayer meeting, next Wednesday at 7.30 p. m. will be held in the Methodist vestry.

—Preaching by Rev. Isaac W. Grimes of Springfield, next Sunday, at the Balt'st church at 10.45 a. m. and at 6.30 p. m. —Quite a large delegation from our village attended the Claffin Guard drill and dance at Newton last Friday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chesley have re-turned from New Hampshire, where they have been spending a few days.

—We understand that Mr. James Lowe has bought a farm in Plimpton, Mass., and is soon to remove there with his family.

—Mr. J. W. Mitchell has bought some land of Mr. Marcy on Chestnut street, and intends to build a house for his own occu; pancy.

—The Good Templars are arranging for a public meeting to present to the village people the beauties of constitutional prohibition.

—Mr. James E. Cahill is about to move his family from Needham to his old home on Boylston street, the Hogan family going to Riverside.

 We are pleased to note that the city is putting in additional cesspools at the Pros-pect school, as the old ones were inadequate and have long needed attention. —Perseverance Lodge of this place attended a public temperance meeting at Nonantum on Wednesday evening, under the auspices of Charity Lodge of that place.

—Many from our village attended the en-tertainment given by the Methodist Society of Highlandville on Tuesday evening, some of the young ladies taking part. Miss Edith Newell sang very acceptably, accom-panied by Miss Bertha Billings, and Miss Mattie Kandall appeared as the reader for the evening.

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—On Sunday last occurred the funeral of Miss Hattie Easterbrook at her late home on Chestnut street. A large number of people gathered to pay the last tokens of love and respect. The house was filled to overflowing and many were obliged to remain out-of-doors. The day was a perfect spring day, and many were enabled to be present who otherwise would have been debarred the sad privilege. Everything that loving hands could do was done for her during her protracted sickness, and the last sad offices were marked by the same tenderness and love. The remains rested peacefully in a beautiful white casket, and were surrounded by floral offerings of rare design and beauty, attesting to the love borne the departed. A quartet, composed of Misses Billings and Nickelson and Messrs. Hale and Everett rendered "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and "Beautiful valley of Eden" in a most acceptable manner. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Peterson of the Methodist church. The interment took place in Needham. the evening.

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